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## PEOPLE THAT YOU KNOW

### WHAT THEY ARE DOING—WHERE THEY GO.

#### Interesting Items Gathered Here and There in Our Journeys About Town.

ELGIN, ILL., Oct. 6.—Butter firm at 22 1/2¢; forty tubs sold at 22 1/2¢. Output for the week, 573,000 lbs. Butter last week, 22 1/2¢; last year, 22¢.

Up-to-date clothing at Webb Bros. Don't forget the entertainment tomorrow night.

You can keep dry with one of our rain coats. Webb Bros.

C. O. Foltz, of Chicago, was calling on friends Monday.

Try our Hard Maple Soap; 8 bars for 25¢ Webb Bros.

Mrs. J. Palmer, of Lake Villa, visited friends in Antioch Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Olcott on Monday, Oct. 6, 1902, a girl baby.

Fred Sholliff was a visitor at Kenosha and Bristol Saturday and Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Efinger, Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1902, a girl child.

Ernest Simons and Fred Shilliff were Chicago visitors the forepart of the week.

E. N. Pratt and Mrs. M. A. Pratt visited at Hebron, Ind., the forepart of the week.

John E. Ballard, of Libertyville, was a caller at the News office the latter part of last week.

Mrs. L. L. Soule left on Saturday for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends at Dover, Wis.

Mrs. W. M. Kelley, of Chicago, spent the latter part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pullen.

Write to Alden, Bidinger & Co., Waukegan, Ill., for prices and terms on new and used pianos and organs. 6tf

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Aikin went to Chicago Tuesday where they will attend the M. E. church conference this week.

Henry Herman, Mrs. Albert Herman and Mrs. George Huber were transacting business at the county seat Wednesday.

Don't forget the concert at the opera house Friday evening by the pupils of the high school, for the benefit of the library.

I am now prepared to bore tubular wells, 2 and 3 inch, on short notice. Prices reasonable. Address W. G. Hucker, Lake Villa, Ill. 32tf

George H. Webb left on Tuesday for Crystal Falls, Mich., where he will hunt deer in the Michigan woods for a week or ten days.

Mrs. E. J. Aikin and about 14 members of the Junior League attended the rally at Lake Villa on Saturday. All report a good time.

For Sale—A good sound driving mare, 6 years, weight 1000 lbs; is gentle and well broke, and will be sold cheap for cash. Inquire at this office.

George Winchell, who has been making his home at Chalmers, Wis., was in town the forepart of the week and is thinking of moving back to Antioch to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ailing and son William, and Mr. John Ailing, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wenigman came out Saturday and spent Sunday at their cottages, at Bluff Lake.

All teachers interested in the Reading Circle work are requested to meet at the school house on Saturday, Oct. 18, at 1:30 p. m. Prepare three first chapters in the "Art of Study."

Insure your life in the company that will pay you the largest profits on your investment. The New York Life leads all other companies in new business, as well as total insurance in force. It will pay you to investigate. W. T. Hill, agent. tf

Geo. W. Glynn, of For Lake, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Glynn is deputy fish warden for this locality and will this week start his men fishing to rid the river and lakes of carp. He is also contemplating moving his family here.

For Sale—I have for sale in the field at prices that will insure their ready sale, 5000 heads of cabbage, 300 bushels of onions and 500 bushels of Potatoes. Call on or address F. W. Taylor, Grays Lake, near Rollins. 5w4

A grand ball will be given by the Antioch Dancing club at the opera house on Thursday evening, Oct. 16. Music will be furnished by Reichert's band of Chicago. The floor managers are Fred Sholliff, Antioch; Ed. Martin, Millburn; R. Loth, Camp Lake; H. Spear, Wilmet; J. Lane, Fox Lake; Leo Finler, Grunee; Jay Graham, Long Lake; John Hook, Grayslake; Robert Selter, Grays Lake. Tickets 75¢; supper 25¢ a person. All are cordially invited.

Everything in the clothing line at Webb Bros.

Mrs. J. L. Hardin and son Frank are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Our 25¢ Tamoka Coffee can't be beat for the price. Webb Bros.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Tiffany Monday, October 6th, 1902, a girl baby.

Mrs. Charles Anderson, of Waukegan, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Watson.

John Van Patten has moved into the house recently vacated by Ira B. Webb, in the Spafford addition.

James Webb has sold his farm to Harry Griffin, of Benton. Mr. Webb will move to Waukegan to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill, on the Ward Bloss farm, rejoice over the arrival of a boy baby, born Monday, Oct. 6th, 1902.

Miss Lola Smith and Miss Bertha Fentz started Monday for Chicago where they have accepted positions for the winter.

Mrs. J. N. Cohn, who has been visiting her parents at Besmer, Mich., for the past three months, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wilton were called to Elgin Thursday by a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Wilton's brother who resides there.

For Rent—A seven-room house, good well, good cellar and good cistern in village of Antioch. Inquire of R. J. Cubbin, Antioch. 36tf

Lost—On the road between Antioch and Channel lake, a blue jacket with gray cuffs, belt and collar. Finder will please leave at Webb Bros. store.

On the fifth page of the News this week will be found the new advertisement of Williams Bros. Read it over carefully and see what they have to offer.

There will be a Sunday school rally at the M. E. church on Sunday morning instead of the regular services. In the evening the Epworth League will have charge of the services.

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church on Monday afternoon, Oct. 13, at 8:00 o'clock, in the parlor or the church to make arrangements for reception to pastor. By order of president, Anna I. Kerr.

If you are in the market for a house and lot in or around Antioch, or wish to purchase a farm, borrow money or make a loan, or in quest of desirable lake front property, call and see me as I have some attractive bargains. J. J. Burke, real estate and loans, Antioch, Ill. 32tf

T. A. Emmons is out again after being confined to the house for a few days as a result of a falling timber striking him upon the head while tearing down a barn near the village. T. A. says he is doing as well as could be expected, and as life is rather sort at best, expects to remain with us for a few days.

Frank A. Mich, of Silver Lake, and Miss Julia Vosburg, of Mukwonago, were united in marriage in St. James church at the above place by Rev. J. J. Weinhoff at 10:30 o'clock last Tuesday. After a wedding dinner at the home of the bride's parents the wedding party went to Silver Lake, the future home of the young couple, where a formal reception and celebration was held. Mr. Mich is one of the best known and most popular young business men of Silver Lake, having with Mr. Mutter, for several years, successfully conducted the Silver Lake Resort. His friends, among who the News wishes to be numbered, extend hearty congratulations.

#### Enters Employment of the Sun.

Tuesday John J. Burke left here to accept a position on the Waukegan Sun. He will be connected with the daily and weekly publications in the city and county as a general all-round man. While we regret to lose him from among us, we can assure the managers of the Sun that they are making no mistake in securing his services as his experience in the newspaper field of Lake county for so many years as editor of this paper, and his large acquaintance and knowledge of its politics will give to the Sun an influence that will be felt throughout the county.

#### Miles of Railway.

There are in this country about 200,000 miles of railway, or about 40 per cent of the world's mileage.

#### Leather From Cow's Hide.

A cow's hide produces thirty-five pounds of leather, and that of a horse about eighteen pounds.

#### Importations of Cheese.

Great Britain and Ireland import about 265,000 pounds of cheese each year. Canada supplies about 60 per cent of the whole.

#### Goes to Germany for Treatment.

A nephew of Gen. De Wet, the Boer commander, arrived in Berlin recently to be treated by Prof. Bergmann for a gunshot wound.

## REFUSED TO ARBITRATE

### PRESIDENT'S CONFERENCE CAME TO NAUGHT

Recognition of the Miners' Union was the Rock Upon Which the Conference Split.

The efforts of President Roosevelt to bring together the contending factions in the great anthracite coal strike in the hope that a free interchange of views might result in finding a basis for settlement of differences have failed completely. The end of the coal strike seems farther off than ever.

President Mitchell, representing the striking miners, offered to submit the entire question to a board of arbitrators appointed by President Roosevelt, who was asked to be a member of the board, and to abide by its decision, even if every point should be decided against the miners.

The coal presidents summarily and with some bitterness rejected the offer of peace demanded by the President that he suppress anarchy in the coal regions, and declare they never would treat with Mitchell.

Just what further steps will be taken by President Roosevelt have not yet been determined, but there is no doubt he will continue his efforts to induce or force the contending sides to make an agreement.

The President urged the contending parties to cease strife in the interests of the public welfare. The miners, through the president of their union, expressed a willingness to submit differences to arbitration of a tribunal to be named by the President and to enter into an agreement to abide by terms fixed by the arbitration for a period of from one to five years; and the employers, through the presidents of the railroads and coal companies and a leading independent mine operator, squarely refused arbitration; denounced the miners' labor organization as a lawless and anarchistic body with which they could and would have no dealings; demanded federal troops to insure complete protection to workers and their families in the mining region, and court proceedings against the miners' union, and offered, if the men returned to work, to submit grievances at individual collieries to the decision of the judges of the court of common pleas for the district of Pennsylvania in which the colliery was located.

The President asked Mr. Mitchell if he would agree to submit the questions to these courts, and he said "No."

The final session was a stormy one. President Roosevelt did not look with favor upon the attitude of the coal President and did not hesitate to say so in the forceful manner so characteristic of him. President Mitchell resented the attacks upon the men he represented, and the coal presidents then elaborated and reinforced the charges made in their statements.

About the only hope for immediate relief of the coal famine, as it now appears to the President and his advisors, lies in the possibility that John Mitchell and the union workmen may be induced to yield the temporary advantage which they hold, in return for the President and Congress may do to relieve the condition in the near future.

By surrendering the advantage they hold the miners might gain in the favor of the general public and win a moral victory greater than could be hoped for by a prolongation of the struggle.

In return for such surrender the President would be able to promise:

A congressional investigation of the entire mining situation in the anthracite fields, with a view to legislation of remedial character.

2. Recommending in his annual message to Congress of legislation for the federal regulation of transportation lines which control any necessity of life.

3. General anti-trust legislation, railroad legislation, and possibly a compulsory arbitration law.

Commissioner General of Immigration Sargent had a long conference with the President regarding the coal strike. Commissioner Sargent from his long connection with labor organizations is fully informed on the subject and it is understood that he will work along the lines of the plan that is now being considered for bringing the strike to end. As stated in the dispatches, the plan is to have the miners return to work with a pledge from the President that he will appeal to Congress to examine into the justice of their complaints and remedy them so far as lies in the power of the legislative branch of the government; also that it be suggested to Governor Stone of Pennsylvania that he cause the Pennsylvania legislature to make a similar inquiry.

Mr. Sargent left Washington this afternoon. It is believed that he will meet President Mitchell in Philadelphia and lay before him the President's hopes that the miners may see their way clear to end the strike.

Whether the miners would regard the President's promises as sufficient reason for what they would give up is a matter of doubt. About all the President can promise is a

personal influence in favor of legislation and investigation. He can not even insure the miners that such legislation would be passed by Congress. Moreover, it is quite certain that there would be a congressional inquiry now, whether recommended or not. And it is pretty certain that there will be numerous bills and schemes proposed for dealing with the coal trust situation. It is also certain that the President will use his influence in securing some sort of an effective law.

#### Stockholders' Meeting.

The subscribers of the capital stock of the State Bank of Antioch, pursuant to call sent by acting Secretary R. C. Higgins, assembled at the Town hall Monday, Oct. 6th, at 2:00 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors. W. S. Westlake was chosen chairman and R. C. Higgins secretary. The following directors were elected: E. B. Williams, George D. Paddock, W. S. Westlake, R. L. Strang and Joe Turner.

Considerable discussion followed as to whether a one or two story building should be erected and, on motion, a rising vote was taken, which resulted in an overwhelming majority in favor of a two-story building, which will be located on the lot recently purchased of Henry Ingalls, north of the present bank building. The building that seems to be the choice of the directors and stockholders will be built entirely of stone, two stories high, and will undoubtedly be fitted for the use of the Masons and Odd Fellows' fraternities.

At a meeting of the directors held in the evening, George D. Paddock was chosen president and W. S. Westlake vice president. The matter of selecting a cashier was left to a future meeting of the board of directors.

#### Dowie Makes Statements to His Followers in Chicago.

John Alexander Dowie talked for two hours and a half in the Chicago Auditorium Sunday afternoon explaining to his followers that Zion is in good financial circumstances. He declared that Zion's assets, over and above all liabilities, aggregated a conservative estimate not less than \$15,000,000, and that Zion has 100,000 "loyal constituents," representing property worth \$100,000,000.

Dowie added that the mortgages "of which so much has been said" "simply represented an investment in Zion City" by those who had confidence in its proper financial management and future; that he had already invested \$900,000 in cash in Zion City; that Zion's stocks had never sold for less than \$100 a share and that many thousands more shares in the banking and lace industries had been sold in the last seven days; that the improvement alone in Zion City represented \$3,250,000; and that the income and expenditures there, aside from rent, aggregated from \$120,000 to \$245,000 a week.

Dowie asked his people to compare these figures with the \$450 in "two petty and wholly unnecessary" suits against him.

#### Morgan Exacts \$10,000,000

"Unless I am given the underwriting of the bonds to complete the consolidation of the packing houses, I will ruin your dressed beef and provision trade in Europe by raising steamship and railroad rates ten cents a hundred and lowering the rates on live stock ten cents a hundred. I made this statement to you gentlemen the day after I returned from Europe several weeks ago, and I repeat it today, it is my ultimatum."

This statement practically in these words made by J. Pierpont Morgan to representatives of the Chicago packing houses, forced an agreement between the "financial king" and the heads of the mightiest industry of the west. The underwriting of the bonds was turned over to J. P. Morgan & company. The packing-house consolidation therefore is now a fact. Morgan's fee is \$10,000,000.

The \$90,000,000, which will be the amount left after Morgan receives his fee for raising \$100,000,000, is the sum found necessary by the packers to perfect the new corporation which will control the meat business of the world. The greater part of the money will be used by the new corporation to purchase the various plants not already bought, and the balance will be employed as working capital.

#### Farmer Seeks Death.

After visiting in Chicago, for a week, C. Lusk, a weather farmer of Rockefeller, took poison Saturday in the waiting room of the Illinois Central railroad depot at Chicago. He was found unconscious on the floor and was taken to the county hospital. He will recover.

Lusk was identified by papers. In one pocket was a letter addressed to Miss Maude E. Lusk, Rockefeller, Ill., in the corner of the letter, which was stamped, sealed and addressed was the name "D. & J. Raggio, 107 Twenty-second street."

Joseph Raggio said Lusk apparently had no reason to court death.

#### Use for the Eiffel Tower.

In 1909 the Eiffel tower becomes the property of the city of Paris, and will then be used for its weather bureau.

## MURDER AT KENOSHA

### CAPTURED BY THE WAUKEGAN POLICE

Says that Girl Had Threatened to Poison Him and It was Necessary to Slay Her.

Dun Avery, who shot and killed Ray Davis at Kenosha Saturday night, was captured by the Waukegan police Monday afternoon at the north city limits, after being at large since the commission of his dastardly crime and being searched for by a huge posse of Kenosha officers and citizens. Avery put up a bold front at first, but when behind locked doors at the police station he confessed his identity, and the shooting of the woman.

The tip which led to the capture of the murderer was obtained through information by a Gazette reporter, that a negro, presumably the murderer, was lurking north of the city. The reporter lost no time in informing the police, and Chief Greer thought it sufficiently important to investigate. At ten o'clock Chief Green and Asst. Chief Tyrrell went north in Justice Weiss' buggy. At the north limits of the city Officer Tyrrell went to the railroad and obtained a glimpse of the hunted man. A railroad man came along with a railroad bike, and Officer Tyrrell got on behind. Shielded from view by the man in front the officer was unobserved by the fugitive till but an instant before he was caught in by the wrists in Tyrrell's vice like grip. The negro put up a bold front. He said his name was John Williams and that he had come from Zion City where he had been a week. With the assistance of the railroad man he was searched. The search brought forth a 38 caliber revolver, two chambers of which were empty, the rest loaded, and an ugly set of iron knuckles. The prisoner was brought to town and after realizing the jig was up, he confessed completely.

The crime perpetrated by Avery was the shooting of Ray Davis at Kenosha Saturday night. The woman died instantly. Both Avery and the woman were members of "The Old Plantation" show which has been a feature of the Kenosha carnival the past week. The woman was a resident of Milwaukee and her murderer of Chattanooga, Tenn. Avery made his escape immediately after the shooting and eluded the search of fully one hundred who joined in the hunt.

The murderer says that after the show the stage manager got the whole troupe drunk and they had a high time generally. He talks disconnectedly of going to the woman's room, and while with one breath he says he did not aim to kill her, with the next utterance he claims not to remember having shot her. He expresses no regrets no regret for his deed, and he sang blithely in his cell. While he would not discuss the reason for his deed he said that many in his place would have shot the woman long ago. He said she was too mean to live, and intimated that she tried to poison him lately at Antigo. When informed that a big crowd was looking for him Saturday night he said "I suppose it would have been all up with me if they had caught me."

Avery said that after the shooting he went along the street and spoke to a policeman. He then went a short distance from the hotel and remained under cover during the night. Sunday morning he walked to the depot and met a white man whom he knew with whom he discussed the shooting. He then left town. Both nights since the murder he has spent out of doors. It was cold and rainy and he was tired of it. He said he wanted to be caught, though his bluff at the approach of the officer was in contradiction of this statement. Avery is 29 years old and possesses a cranium indicating a make-up of low type. He says his father is James Avery of Norfolk, Va.

#### Has Unique Political Record.

Silas W. Bond of Iowa has a political record both unusual and interesting, for he boasts of having cast his ballot for eighteen Presidential candidates, a record held by comparatively few men. Mr. Bond's maiden vote was cast in Wayne county, Indiana, in 1880.

#### LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

Oats.....\$30.00  
Corn.....\$20.00  
Hay.....\$10.00

WHEAT.....\$15.00  
Middlings.....\$12.00  
Gluten.....\$10.00  
On Meal, per 100 lbs.....\$1.75  
Chicken Feed Wheat.....\$1.25

HOGS.....\$7.25  
Hogs—Dressed.....\$5.00

POULTRY.....\$90.00  
Turkeys.....\$80.00  
Ducks.....\$75.00  
Geese.....\$65.00  
Chickens—Live weight.....\$90.00

The Best Job Printing can be had at The News office, Antioch, Ill.

## School Notes.

Clarence Ling entered the high school Monday.

Literature class begins the "Translation of the Iliad" this week.

Report of first month's examination and the monthly report will appear next week.

Rehearsals every evening this week for the Library entertainment Friday evening.

Foot ball is all the rage at present, and the junior team is holding it's own remarkably well.

The German class is progressing nicely and the young people are very much in earnest over the work.

Mrs. Sherwood attended the Kenosha county Teacher's Meeting at Kenosha, Saturday and reports a profitable meeting.

Work in Latin composition was begun this week. Although there is a small class this year, the outlook is very bright for a large class next year. Five years ago there were but ten in the High School department, now there is an enrollment of thirty-six. This indicates the right spirit and let us hope it may be maintained.

#### Auction Sales.

The undersigned will sell at auction 1 1/2 miles west of Millburn and 1 1/2 miles east of Sand Lake, on the old Gideon Thayer farm, on Wednesday, October 15, at one o'clock sharp, the following described property to-wit: One matched team seven and eight years old, 1 horse sired by Ben H. 212 1-2, 4 No. 1 cows, sow with 10 pigs, 6 shoats, 75 hens and chickens, 1 mow, wagon nearly new, milk wagon, undivided half of an Osborn binder, spring tooth cultivator new, horse rake, sod or stubble plow, cook stove, heater, stack of straw, 10 acres of corn in shock, 400 bushels of oats free from mustard or thistles, 50 or 60 bushels of potatoes early and late, 1 tons tame hay and millet, harrow, double and single harness, and other articles not mentioned. Usual Terms. FRANK THAYER, WALTER WHITE, Auctioneer.

Patrick Meagher having rented his farm will auction, on his farm, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Russell and 1 1/2 miles northwest of Rosecrans, on Tuesday, Oct. 15, at ten o'clock sharp, the following property: 13 choice cows, ten are new milch and springers, 1 fat cow, balance coming in in the spring. 7 two-year-old heifers, 5 two-year-old steers, and 4 last spring's calves. 73 grade Shropshire ewes and 27 lambs, 4 brood sows, 28 pigs, Grey work horse 12 years old, weight 1200 lbs; bay mare 5 years old, weight 1400 lbs, in foal; 2 colts coming 2 years old, sired by a French Coach horse; grey mare 11 years old. McCormick grain binder, nearly new; McCormick corn binder, nearly new; W. A. Wood hay rake, Gale corn planter, sod cutter, sulky plow, walking plow, set of lever drags, riding cultivator, walking cultivator truck wagon, lumber wagon, seeder, bob sleigh, double buggy, grind stone, cutter, horse hay fork, cauldron kettle, wheelbarrow, set double harness, fanning mill, set single harness, driving harness, buggy pole corn sheller, air-tight stove, hay rack, forks, shovels, chains and other articles. About 40 tons of tame hay in barn, about 8 tons of upland hay in barn, 15 acres of corn in shock. Lunch at noon.

Terms, the usual form with interest at 6 per cent. 2 per cent off for cash.

Geo. Vogel, Auctioneer.

James A. Webb having sold his farm, will sell at auction, 1/4 mile east of Hickory Corners, and 2 miles west of Rosecrans, on Wednesday, Oct. 15, at ten o'clock sharp, the following property: Cows—19 choice young cows, 3 two-year-old heifers, 4 yearlings, 3 calves, 1 yearling bull. Horses—bay horse 7 years old, weight 1300 lbs.; chestnut mare 8 years old, weight 1200 lbs.; bay horse 11 years old, weight 1100 lbs.; Chief colt coming 3 years old, bay driving mare 8 years old, weight 1000 lbs.; 1 gray horse ten years old, weight 1600 lbs.; 2 brood sows heavy with pig, grain binder, nearly new; 1 corn binder, nearly new; 1 mow, hay rake, seeder, sulky plow; 2 drugs, 2 walking plows, 2 riding cultivators, single cultivator, pulverizer, 2 hay racks, 1 lumber wagon, 2 truck wagons, 1 wagon box, 2 set of dump planks, 15 shipping cans, water tank, wood rack, set of heavy bob sleighs, set of light bob sleighs, 1 milk wagon, 2 single buggies, 1 wagon springs, 2 set of work harness, 2 set of single harness, set light driving harness, 1 grind stone, sickle grinder, cauldron kettle, 175 feet of 1 inch rope, fork and pulleys, and other articles not mentioned. 40 tons of tame hay in barn, 10 tons of wild hay in barn, 20 acres of corn in shock and 1 stack of millet. Lunch at noon.

Terms: 1 year with 6 per cent interest. Geo. Vogel, Auctioneer.

#### Lock of Napoleon's Hair.

A lock of Napoleon's hair was sold at auction a year or two ago. It was accompanied by the letter which Napoleon sent with it to a Mrs. Le Vaux. The letter runs thus: "Enclosed is what I promised you; it is small but precious. I have but little left."



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A. B. JOHNSON, Publisher.

ANTIOCH, ILLINOIS.

### EVENTS OF THE WEEK

The Berlin papers print a letter from one of the crew of the German gunboat Panther saying that Emperor William sent a cable dispatch after the sinking of the Haytian revolutionary gunboat Creteux-Fleuret saying: "Brave Panther; well done."

Lady Henry Somerset, president of World's W. C. T. U., reached New York and declared England is becoming a nation of drunkards; London arrests for intoxication now three women to one man, against four men to one woman fifteen years ago.

A contract of the value of \$500,000 has been placed with the Westinghouse Company by the Clyde Valley Electrical Company of Glasgow, Scotland, for the equipment of two generating stations to supply power for industrial purposes over an area of 755 square miles.

Emilio Zola was buried at Paris with military honors; 50,000 mourners, including Dreyfus, marched unmolested in funeral procession through crowded streets; Anatole France, in funeral oration, scored Zola's enemies and declared his courage saved the fatherland.

The body of Charles Robert of Chicago was found on the roadside between Brandon and Jackson, Miss., with two bullet holes in the left breast and a revolver lying on the ground. It is thought that he was killed in Jackson and the body brought to where it was found.

William H. Wright, treasurer of the territory of Hawaii, is alleged to be an absconder and a defaulter to the extent of \$17,240. It is believed he stowed away on the steamship Alameda. Secretary of the territory, Henry E. Cooper, has been appointed treasurer temporarily by Gov. Dole.

The Supreme Court at Topeka, Kan., has formally approved the \$10,000 bond of Jessie Morrison, who is serving a fifteen-year sentence in the penitentiary for killing Clara Wiley Castle. Miss Morrison will now be released pending the rehearing of her case by the Supreme Court.

It is officially announced at Pittsburgh that at the meeting of manufacturers and jobbers of plate glass, held recently, an advance of 10 per cent was made on all plate glass under ten feet square except that used for silviculture. The advance is on the manufacturers' prices and will go into effect at once.

The body of Herman Schroeder, a Greenville, Wis., farmer, was found in the barn of Karl Ludwig, his stepfather. Schroeder went to Appleton and drew \$500 from the bank. He spent the money in various ways and then started to walk home. On the body were found \$16.93 and a bottle of strychnine. It is thought that the farmer was murdered for the money he was supposed to carry.

"I'm tired of feeling every minute that some one's coming up behind to grab me," said a well-dressed man of 35, entering the central police station at Akron, Ohio, and further stating that he was wanted in Baltimore on the charge of embezzlement. He registered as Joseph Smith and said he had been a bookkeeper for the National Biscuit Company and had defaulted.

### NEWS NUGGETS

The quarterly exports for all Germany except Munich to the United States were \$31,527,023, an increase of \$7,107,953.

Gross receipts of Postoffice Department for the year ended June 30 were \$121,848,047 and expenditures \$124,509,217.

Gov. Stone of Pennsylvania ordered out the entire militia force of the State, about 10,000 men, for service in the anthracite coal fields.

Throng attracted to Washington by the Grand Army encampment taxed the capacity of the railroads; visitors estimated to number over 100,000.

Advices received at Lima, Peru, from Bolivia say that a revolutionary movement in favor of the first vice-president of that republic, Lucio Peres Velasco, had been frustrated.

Dr. W. H. H. Dunn, a prominent physician and cattleman, was dragged to death at Guthrie, O. T., by being thrown from his carriage, his feet becoming entangled in the lines.

The Cuban House of Representatives voted to proclaim Oct. 10, the anniversary of the beginning of the war of 1895, a national holiday and to erect statues to Cespedes, Agramonte, Maceo and Garcia.

A. A. Glasgow, New Holland, Pa., is accused of being horse thief at night, while selling Bibles by daylight, and teaching Sunday school; horses located while on his rounds as agent; barns looted at night.

The Panama Railroad has been forbidden to carry Colombian troops or ammunition by Rear Admiral Chase, U. S. N., except by special permission; complications may follow, as treaty guarantees unrestricted traffic.

As an outcome of newspaper attacks Gen. Barges, captain general of Catalonia, Spain, fought a duel with pistols with the director of the newspaper El Imparcial of Madrid. Neither of the combatants was injured.

Winston Churchill, the novelist, is going into politics, making his entrance through the medium of the Republican representative caucus at Cornish, N. H., which gave him a nomination. This is considered equivalent to an election.

The north-bound "Katy" flew was wrecked at Wagoner, I. T. Engineer Hitchcock and Fireman Wetherby and Mrs. Marguerite Sunday of Oolagh, I. T., were seriously injured. The engine, mail, express and baggage cars were wrecked.

Advices from Ballarat, Cal., the point from which Death Valley expeditions start, tell of a terrific wind and rain storm that swept over the Panamint range several days ago, doing great damage to property and injuring many persons.

Utt Duncan, a negro, was taken by a mob from the county jail at Columbus, Texas, and, after a short stay, entered the telephone office at Dallas, Tex., and killed Miss Lena Harris, the night operator, who was alone. He was arrested and all possible precautions were taken to prevent a lynching.

### EASTERN.

In an elevator accident at the shoe factory of A. E. Little & Co. at Lynn, Mass., two persons were killed and four were injured.

Bishop Potter of New York was married to Mrs. Alfred Corning Clark in the presence of a few intimate friends in church in Cooperstown, N. Y.

William R. Hearst, proprietor of the New York American and Journal and the Chicago American, has been nominated for Congress in Eleventh New York District.

Charles Taylor Olmstead, until recently vicar of St. Agnes' Church, New York, has been consecrated as confessor of the Episcopal Church in the diocese of central New York.

Rear Admiral James E. Jouett, U. S. N., retired, died at his home, "The Anchorage," Silver Spring, Maryland. He was 74 years of age and had a long and distinguished career.

United States District Attorney Barnett has sued A. S. Rosenthal & Co. of New York for \$1,035,800, said to have been lost to the government through the recent alleged silk frauds.

In a financial difficulty as a result of the coal strike, Henry C. Scheel, a coal merchant of New York City, tried to kill himself by shooting. The doctors say there is little hope for him.

Rival airships Santos-Dumont 0 and Le Stevens sailed an endurance contest at New York. The former won by going mile and a half; latter disabled and navigator landed on a telegraph pole.

Application is to be made in the New York courts for approval of the settlement of the Castellanes with Wertheimer, by which he is to receive \$400,000 in monthly installments of \$8,000.

Thirty-eight Russian Orloff carriage horses, just imported, have been auctioned off in New York City. One four-hand team sold for \$7,500. The buyer's name was not disclosed. Many sales were made around \$1,500.

The coroner's jury in the case of the murder of Captain James B. Craft in New York returned a verdict that Craft came to his death by violence at the hands of Thomas Tobin, Alexander McAnerney and Robert S. Kelly.

Massachusetts Republican convention nominated John L. Bates for Governor and a full State ticket by acclamation; platform indorses President Roosevelt, favors Republican revision of tariff and Cuban reciprocity and urges settlement of coal strike.

A passenger train on the Fitchburg division of the Boston and Maine Railroad crashed into a switching engine at East Deerfield, Mass. The engineer of the train and a fireman of the switching engine were killed and two others were seriously injured.

The New York Democratic convention nominated Bird S. Coler for Governor and filled up the remainder of the ticket according to the slate prepared by former Senator Hill. The platform declares for national ownership and operation of the anthracite coal mines.

The headless and armless body of a young woman was found floating in the East river at the foot of Sedgwick street, Brooklyn. All the clothing that remained was a pair of very fine lisle thread black stockings and a pair of French high-heeled black shoes.

A coroner's jury in New York in the case of Mrs. Harry C. Rose, who was shot and killed Sept. 27, returned a verdict that Mrs. Rose died from wounds from a revolver at the hands of her husband. The coroner sent Rose to the Tombs to await the action of the grand jury.

The bodies of John Collins, aged 11 years, and Price Jennings, aged 14 years, were found in a field near Haddon Heights, a Camden, N. J., suburb. The boys had been missing from their homes for three days. Coroner Litchfield examined the bodies and found only superficial wounds.

Two young boys were electrocuted by a live wire on a semaphore signal ladder in Wood Haven Junction, L. I. The boys were held to the iron rungs for thirty minutes while a current of 2,500 volts passed through their bodies. The victims were Frederick Pappello, 9 years old, and Rheinhart Houser, 13 years old.

Leutenant Commander William V. Brownough of the United States navy committed suicide on the battleship Kennerly at the Brooklyn navy yard by blowing out his brains with a revolver. Friends believe that he was much worried over the manifold duties of his position as executive officer, which are considered to be more arduous than those of any other position in the navy. Purnell F. Harrington, captain of the Brooklyn navy yard, said: "There is an epidemic of suicide in the navy as surely as there was over an epidemic of fever."

The city reservoir of Camden, N. J., near the Delaware river, broke Thursday morning and about 8,000,000 gallons of water escaped and flowed down Twenty-seventh street, flooding the cellars of many houses and doing other damage. The reservoir is 344 feet deep by 180 feet wide and is 21 feet long. A watchman whose duty it is to open a valve when the water reaches a certain height neglected to do so and the water flowed over the embankment, washing away the earth to such an extent that the break followed. It will cost the city \$25,000 to repair the damage.

### WESTERN.

Luther W. Shear, the self-confessed forger, was sentenced at Muskegon, Mich., to twelve years in the State prison.

Clarence Thurston, son of Senator Thurston of Nebraska, who attempted suicide at St. Louis, is rapidly recovering.

The Kansas Democratic and Populist State committee nominated William H. Stryker for superintendent of public instruction.

R. M. Snyder, banker and promoter, was convicted of bribery at St. Louis, and his punishment fixed at five years in the penitentiary.

Emile Hartman, a former member of the St. Louis house of delegates, who has been a fugitive, was arrested at South McAlester, I. T.

The National Association of Carriage Builders, in session at Detroit, elected Edwin W. H. Bailey of Amesbury, Mass., president.

Large crowds attended unveiling of monument to Nancy Hanks Lincoln at Lincoln City, Ind. Gen. Black delivered principal address.

After the examination of one witness at Kansas City the inquiry in the alleged beef trust was adjourned to St. Louis.

Of five witnesses sent for only one was in town, and he could give no evidence of importance.

Mrs. James Lawrence Blair of St. Louis has been elected president of the board of lady managers of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Walter Sullivan, a young negro, was lynched at Portland, Ark. Sullivan was charged with shooting D. J. Roddy, a white man, in the back.

A Bendaji, Minn., special says: The jury found George Ladue guilty of the murder of Eugene McGlauchlin. The jury was out five hours.

The safe in the bank at Norman, Neb., was blown open by robbers. The robbers, four in number, secured about \$1,000 and terrorized the town.

A syndicate headed by John A. Drake has purchased the Gilt Edge mine in Fergus County, Montana, for a price said to approach \$1,000,000.

Fire at Tuolumne, Cal., destroyed the business section, causing a loss of \$150,000, including an estimated loss to the West Side Lumber Company of \$50,000.

Rev. Charles M. Sheldon has filed with the Secretary of State at Des Moines, Iowa, his formal declaration of the nomination for Congressman at large on the allied Populist ticket.

Twelve men were killed by an explosion of fire damp on the fourth level of the south side of the Lawson mines, near Black Diamond, Wash. Three men were injured, one badly.

The Independent Order of Good Templars of the World will erect a monument over the grave of Col. J. J. Hickman at Columbia, Mo. Col. Hickman was famous as a temperance orator.

The United States Circuit Court at Cleveland has declared that the plan that the A. Booth Company of Chicago is a trust does not invalidate a contract made by the E. B. Edison Fish Company.

In Fargo, N. D., fire destroyed the building and stock of the Weeum-Watt Company, wholesale dealers in notions and stationery, causing a loss of \$150,000. The building, which was new, had just been occupied.

Heinze's fusion committee at Butte, Mont., has indorsed Judge W. L. Holloway for associate justice of the Montana Supreme Court and Martin Doe for Congress, both nominees of the anti-naturalized Republicans.

The jury in the case of the State against ex-Superintendent of Police Fred W. Ames of Minneapolis for accepting bribes returned a verdict of guilty. The attorney for the defendant made a motion for a new trial.

A deed was filed at Marshall, Minn., whereby John M. Burke conveys to the Winchell-Custerson-Burke relief foundation \$4,000,000 worth of real and personal property, to be used as an endowment for a hospital for convalescents.

The Ohio Legislature voted down municipal home rule. The measure was one projected by Tom L. Johnson, who aspires to the leadership of Ohio Democracy, and was fathered in the House by Representative Price of Athens County.

In St. Paul Judge Lochren has appointed Fred G. Ingersoll as special examiner to take evidence in the case of a head-on collision between Columbus and Park City, Mont., on a curve on the Northern Pacific track. Two men were killed and seven injured, one fatally. The engine and mail cars were wrecked.

Otto Lühr, 16 years old, accidentally shot Nick Felder, 18 years old, in Chicago, his victim dying at the St. Elizabeth hospital at 10 o'clock the same night. The boys were alone in Lühr's house and were examining a revolver when Lühr accidentally pulled the trigger.

Seven workmen were caught beneath a heavy steel beam at the new Carnegie library at Minneapolis. Five of them were badly injured. The beam supported the roof of the library, which is in course of construction, and their givng way caused the roof to fall in and damaged the walls.

Fifteen hundred people were thrown several feet to the ground at Maryville, Mo., by the collapse of the reserve seats in a tent where a show given by local talent was in progress. Two hundred were injured, some seriously. Dozens were removed to their homes by ambulance, and a few of them may die.

The resolution by Miss Helen M. Gould expressing the sentiment that the Louisiana Purchase Exposition would favor a high moral tone throughout and eliminate from the concessions any that savors of the dances performed on the Midway of the Chicago fair, was adopted by the board of lady managers at St. Louis.

Robert Dhu, a young Scotchman, has arrived in Shelby, Ohio, on the way to his native land from Mexico, from which country he escaped locked in a sugar car. Dhu was a locomotive engineer, and last August his engine killed three persons near Aguas Calientes, in the interior of Mexico. Dhu's family lives in Lanarkshire, Scotland.

James P. Forsyth, whose stage name was Edward Forsyth, is dead at the home of his mother in Kansas City, aged 36 years. Forsyth's professional career ended in June, 1901, when he shot and killed his wife, Edna May Stokes, an actress, in a Chicago hotel. Forsyth pleaded insanity and was committed to the Elgin asylum, where he was confined until last January.

Frank Langowski of Detroit, who claims to be an exiled Russian nobleman, received a letter the other day from official circles in St. Petersburg informing him that \$45,000 will soon be sent him as the result of seven years of legal technicalities with the Russian government. According to Langowski it represents the interest on his \$1,500,000 estates, which the Russian government confiscated in 1893.

### SOUTHERN.

In an election for Governor and state-house officials in Georgia there was no organized opposition to the Democratic ticket, which was elected in full.

Five persons, including Engineer Fred Pearce and brakeman William Miller, were killed and three injured in a head-on collision between Baltimore and Ohio freight trains in a tunnel near Cornwells, W. Va.

Five persons were killed by the explosion of a boiler at Jesso Hineslow's mill at Rocky Hill, Ky. The accident is supposed to have been caused by low water in the boiler.

A tornado struck Indianola, Tenn., wrecking a number of houses and fatally injuring Miss Florence Morris. Many other persons were seriously hurt and several farm houses in the vicinity destroyed.

The bodies of L. L. Hunter and L. B. Magill, who were lost in the burning of the City of Pittsburgh last April, thirty miles below Paducah, Ky., were found four miles below the wreck and apparently had been covered with sand. They were wealthy manufacturers of Tidlow, Pa.

### FOREIGN.

The Japanese press congratulates the government on the flotation of the loan of \$25,000,000.

St. Petersburg advices from Kharbin say that the Russian troops are beginning to evacuate south Manchuria.

Andrew Carnegie has donated \$1,500 to the union for women students of St. Andrew's University, of which institution he is rector.

Colombia and Nicaragua are on the verge of war owing to the open action of President Zelaya in aiding the insurgents under Gen. Morazan.

The Duchess of Manchester, who was Miss Helena Zimmerman of Cincinnati, gave birth to a son at Tanderagee Castle, County Armagh, Ireland.

The Peruvian Chamber of Deputies has confirmed the grant of \$25,000 already sanctioned by the Senate providing for the representation of Peru at the St. Louis exposition.

The breaking of a rope attached to a car which was ascending the shaft of a coal mine at Pontypool, Wales, precipitated the car, which contained eight men, 300 yards to the bottom. All were instantly killed.

Conard steamship line will receive \$750,000 annual subsidy from British government and stay out of Morgan trust; two steamers to be built on government loan at 2 1/2 per cent, running twenty years; no freight advance guaranteed.

The report that a Japanese loan is to be floated is confirmed. Baring Brothers of London, the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank and the Yokohama Specie Bank will issue some \$25,000,000 Japanese consolidated bonds bearing 5 per cent interest. They will probably be issued at par.

### IN GENERAL.

Conference on the coal strike called by the President failed of results, the operators refusing to arbitrate.

The divorce decree obtained March 21 by Lord Francis Hope against May Yohs has been made absolute.

The Carriage Builders' National Association, in convention at Detroit, closed its session for next year's gathering.

Government weekly crop report showed temperature conditions favorable except in Rocky Mountains; cotton hurt by rain, except in Carolinas and Texas; Illinois corn safe.

Dun & Co.'s review reported merchandise distribution active; prices upheld by reduced stocks; coke shipments and steel imports increasing; September railroad earnings gained 9.4 per cent over 1901.

After traversing a wilderness where white men had never before ventured the United States geological survey has completed a preliminary examination of the country lying between Cook Inlet and the Tanana.

A proposed combine of forty concerns throughout the country engaged in the manufacture of toys, games and novelties is to be joined by a large manufacturing company of Pawtucket, R. I. The combination is understood to involve a capitalization of \$7,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

A party of bandits, supposed to have been led by Bravo Juan, made a raid on the town of Ranchi, in the State of Sonora, Mexico. The bandits, after placing guards outside the town, rode into the business section and took possession, looting stores and houses. They escaped to the woods.

J. Hampton Moore was elected president of the National League of Republican Clubs in session in Chicago. H. W. Weeks of Iowa was chosen secretary, and Sid Redding of Arkansas was elected treasurer. Mr. Moore is city treasurer of Philadelphia and prominent in politics in that State.

The Secretary of the Navy has awarded the contract for the construction of the battleship Louisiana to the Newport News Shipbuilding Company at its bid of \$9,500,000. The bureau officers to whom the bids were referred reported that there were no indications of combinations on the part of the bidders.

The National League season closed Sunday, the pennant being won by Pittsburgh. The final standings were as follows: Pittsburgh .103 30 Chicago .08 69 Brooklyn .07 63 St. Louis .05 78 Boston .04 74 Philadelphia .04 81 Cincinnati .07 70 New York .04 88

The Boston Advertiser says that Canada and certain European nations have entered into a big tariff league to destroy American trade. A special dispatch from Ottawa says: "A statement can be made positively to-night on the best possible authority that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has made definite arrangements with France and Italy looking toward a special tariff arrangement which will take the place of the treaties which Canada, France and Italy tried to arrange with the United States on a reciprocity basis. It can be stated by authority that the Canadian government, discouraged by the refusal of the United States Senate to confirm on foreign affairs to even consider the idea of a reciprocity treaty between the United States and Canada, has made up its mind to adopt a new policy."

## COMMERCIAL FINANCIAL

New York

"Notwithstanding the disarranged money market, almost a fuel famine and the magnitude of plans for the future indicates that confidence has not been shaken. Scarcely of funds has thus far caused no hardship except to speculators, and the stringency will remedy itself by contracting loans on stock exchange collateral, together with such aid as may be offered by the treasury, which is partly responsible through absorption of funds. Injury to crops by frost has no more than offset the increased acreage, while high prices fully compensate producers. It is not a time for pessimism, although securities have declined sharply. Railway earnings for September thus far exceed last year's by 6.8 per cent and those of 1900 by 18.5 per cent."

B. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade gives the foregoing summary of the industrial situation. Continuing, it says:

Pressure in the iron and steel industry has been somewhat alleviated by larger receipts of coke and liberal imports of pig iron, yet the outlook is by no means devoid of unfavorable features. No fuel famine exists, although the furnaces are consuming receipts of coke as they arrive, and it is impossible to provide for more than immediate needs. Some idle plants have resumed and now operate from day to day with the constant menace of an interrupted movement of fuel, which would suspend operations. At the West this factor is most serious, coke commanding \$10 a ton or more, while in the numerous instances now in operation there is less disposition to place large contracts for distant delivery of pig iron and sales are chiefly of small lots. Foreign iron is freely received, and other consignments are under consideration. More steel rail orders have been placed abroad. Needs for structural shapes are increasing, much work being held back by slow shipments, and orders are reported for delivery nearly two years hence. In an effort to provide adequate transportation facilities the railroads are purchasing liberally of rolling stock and other equipment, and great improvements in terminal methods are planned.

Western railroad lines continue burdened with business. A car shortage in the East is predicted for ten days hence, and an early settlement of the anthracite strike would probably bring this on quickly. Full resumption of work at the mines would mean an immediate demand for cars, and as it is doubtful if the coal roads have a large enough equipment for such a demand, it is feared that cars available for grain and other freight might be impressed into coal carrying service, and thus the settlement of the coal strike, the best thing that could happen, would be an additional handicap to traffic, in its immediate effect.

The grain markets have been active and higher, helped by the growing sentiment in favor of wheat and the development of a "grainee" in September wheat. Depressing news comes from abroad where the Russian official report makes the crop of that country as large as the record. There is already a little of unfavorable news from the Eastern markets regarding Manitoba wheat, and while it is early yet for competition from this source, there will probably be much of it soon after the Canadian crop movement gets fairly under way.

In the Northwest there is an outlook fully as favorable as at this time last week, and the volume of trade in the jobbing and manufacturing lines holds up well. After several weeks of moderate showings caused by the delayed grain movement, Minneapolis is getting back into normal fall conditions and for the week had the heaviest bank clearings so far this fall, gaining 15.3 per cent over last year, with a total of \$17,210,735.

Chicago

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$4.00 to \$7.50; hogs, shipping grades, \$4.25 to \$7.70; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.50 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 68c to 69c; corn, No. 2, 60c to 61c; oats, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 40c to 50c; hay, timothy, \$8.50 to \$13.50; prairie, \$3.00 to \$11.50; butter, choice creamery, 20c to 22c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 20c; potatoes, 80c to 94c per bushel.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$7.75; hogs, choice light, \$4.00 to \$7.45; sheep, common to prime, \$2.50 to \$3.50; wheat, No. 2, 68c to 69c; corn, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 40c to 50c; hay, timothy, \$8.50 to \$13.50; prairie, \$3.00 to \$11.50; butter, choice creamery, 20c to 22c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 20c; potatoes, 80c to 94c per bushel.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$4.50 to \$7.35; hogs, \$3.00 to \$7.70; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 68c to 69c; corn, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 40c to 50c; hay, timothy, \$8.50 to \$13.50; prairie, \$3.00 to \$11.50; butter, choice creamery, 20c to 22c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 20c; potatoes, 80c to 94c per bushel.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$4.50 to \$6.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$7.25; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 72c; corn, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 40c to 50c; hay, timothy, \$8.50 to \$13.50; prairie, \$3.00 to \$11.50; butter, choice creamery, 20c to 22c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 20c; potatoes, 80c to 94c per bushel.

Detroit—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$6.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 72c; corn, No. 3, yellow, 60c to 61c; oats, No. 3, white, 31c to 32c; rye, 50c to 51c.

Albany—Wheat, No. 2, northern, 70c to 72c; corn, No. 2, 68c to 69c; oats, No. 2, white, 31c to 32c; rye, No. 1, 40c to 50c; barley, No. 2, 68c to 69c; pork, mess, \$18.32.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2, 71c to 72c; corn, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 40c to 50c; hay, timothy, \$8.50 to \$13.50; prairie, \$3.00 to \$11.50; butter, choice creamery, 20c to 22c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 20c; potatoes, 80c to 94c per bushel.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$8.50; hogs, fair to prime, \$4.00 to \$7.70; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.25 to \$3.75; lambs, common to choice, \$4.00 to \$5.70.

An Instance.

Bridget and Pat were sitting in an armchair reading an article on "The Law of Compensation."

"Just fancy," exclaimed Bridget; "accordin' to this, when a mon loses wan av 'is sinces, another gits more developed. For instance, a blind mon gits more since av 'is 'in an' touch, an'—"

"Shure, an' it's quite thrue," exclaimed Pat. "I've noticed it myself. When a mon has wan leg shorter than the other, boggorra the other's longer."—Philadelphia Times.

In a Bad Way.

Night after night, with rest and sleep broken by urinary troubles. Painful passages, frequent calls of nature. Retention, make the day as miserable as the night. Man, woman or child with any wrong condition of the bladder and kidneys is in a bad way. Don't delay 'till dangerous Diabetes comes. Cure the trouble before it settles into Bright's Disease. Read how certain are the cures of Doan's Kidney Pills and how they last.

John J. Scharsch, a retired farmer, residing at 474 Concord street, Aurora, Ill., says: "Three years ago I was a sufferer from backache and other kidney disorders, and for months exhausted all my knowledge of medicine in an endeavor to obtain relief. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me, and time has not diminished my estimation of this preparation. Not only did Doan's Kidney Pills cure me at that time, but although over three years have elapsed, there has not been a symptom of a recurrence of the trouble. I consider this preparation to be a wonderful kidney remedy and just as represented."

A FREE TRIAL of this great Kidney medicine, which cured Mr. Scharsch, will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents per box.

No Sympathy There.

"I am going to marry your daughter, sir," said the positive young man to the father.

"Well, you needn't come to me for sympathy," replied the father. "I have troubles of my own."—Columbus State Journal.

Trust Those Who Have Tried.

I SUFFERED from catarrh of the worst kind and never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that.

—Oscar Ostrom, 45 Warren avenue, Chicago, Ill.

I TRIED Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured of catarrh. The terrible headaches from which I long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hiltchcock, Into Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

MY SON was afflicted with catarrh. He used Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrh all left him.—J. O. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 55 Warren St., New York.

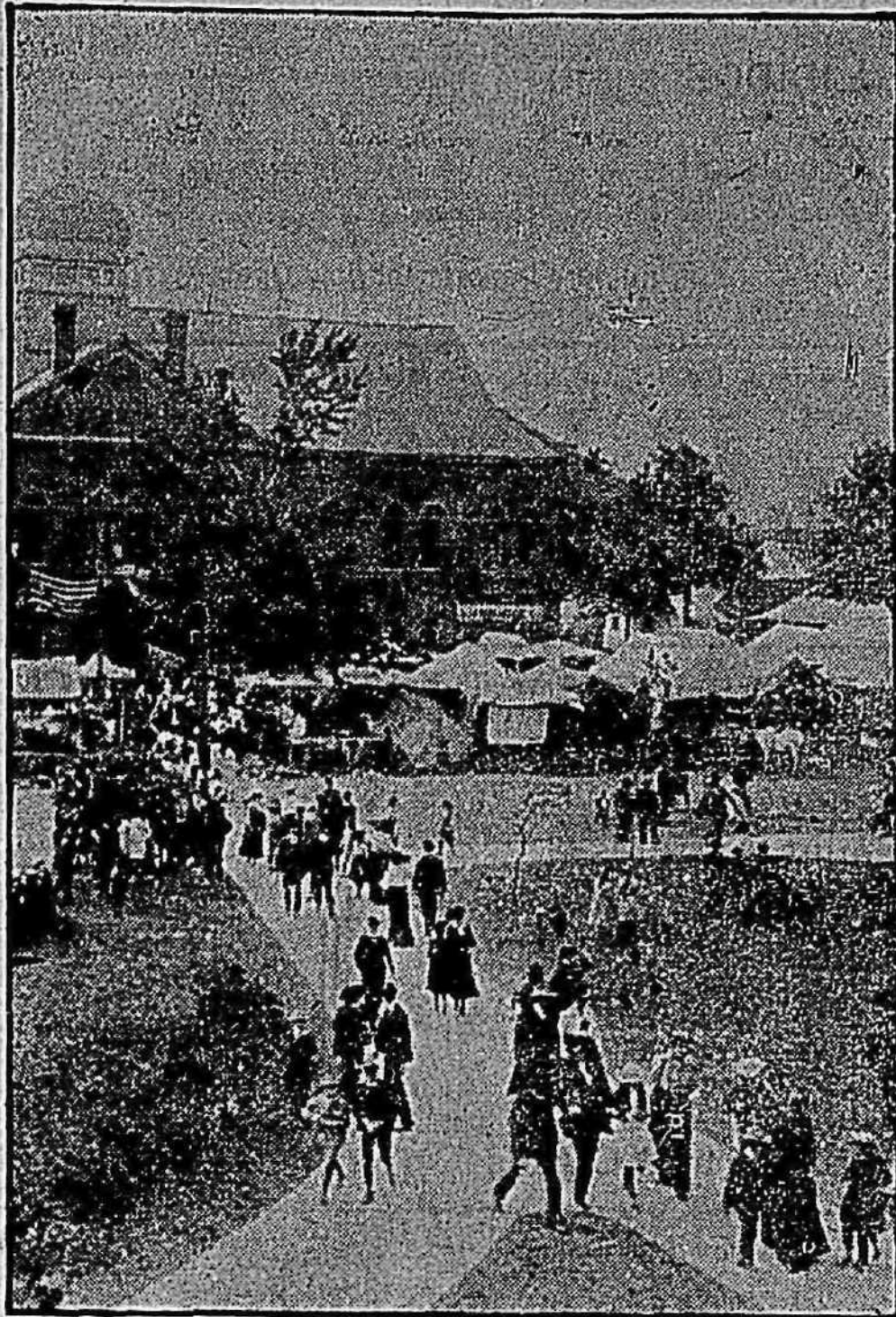
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# ILLINOIS STATE NEWS

## SCENE AT THE STATE FAIR.

(Chicago Chronicle.)



VIEW AT OPENING OF INDUSTRIAL BUILDING AT SPRINGFIELD.

### STATE W. C. T. U. IN SESSION.

#### Illinois W. C. T. U. President Carries Point for Revisionists.

Three hundred delegates were present at the opening session of the Illinois W. C. T. U. convention at the First Congregational Church at Peoria. Mayor Bryan, Prof. N. C. Dougherty, Dr. John F. Valle, superintendent of schools; Mrs. Lucile B. Tyng and Mrs. Laura Boleyn welcomed the visitors, while responses were made by Mrs. Fanny H. Rantall of Chicago, Mrs. Nellie M. Syster of Graymont, Mrs. Mary T. Beall of Mount Carmel and Mrs. Meece Varney of Clinton. Mrs. Zillah Stevens gave a picture story as the closing number. The executive committee, after an all-day session, decided to recommend to the convention the establishment of a department for colored people, a course of scientific study for the public schools, the establishment of a public school savings bank and a department on labor. Miss Marie C. Brehm, State president, won a signal victory when an informal ballot was taken on the third article of the proposed new constitution. It provides for the substitution of county organizations for congressional district organizations and the revisionists won. Miss Brehm reserved Mrs. Luella McWhorter of Indianapolis, one of her staunch supporters, for the last speech. Mrs. McWhorter is a brilliant woman and required but a few minutes to make her influence felt. Following Mrs. McWhorter's speech, there were calls for a speech from the president, Mrs. Lucile B. Tyng of Peoria, vice-president, took the chair and Miss Brehm talked for fifteen minutes. At the close of her speech a vote was taken and the revisionists won by forty-five votes.

### J. M. MARKS PLEADS GUILTY.

#### Chicagoan Gets Jail Sentence in Diamond Swindle Case at Joliet.

J. M. Marks, a former president of the Diamond Investment Company of Chicago, pleaded guilty at Joliet to the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses and was sentenced to the county jail for three months. Marks and C. B. McDonald, also of Chicago, sold diamonds there on the installment plan. Both were indicted. Marks was tried, found guilty and given a penitentiary sentence. He secured a new trial and was let off with a jail term. McDonald is yet to be tried.

### BIG PLANT FOR WAUKEGAN.

#### Electricity Will Be Supplied to North Shore Towns.

Plans are under consideration for the erection at Waukegan of a \$300,000 electric power plant for Samuel Insull and Frank Baker of the city to supply electricity to all towns along the north shore from Waukegan to Evanston and the Waukegan and Fox Lake Electric Railway, which Mr. Baker has contracted to put in operation. Rights to run the main wire system on the Green Bay road are being secured, from which all towns can be supplied.

### COURT ACTS FOR GAYLORD.

#### Restraints American Steel Company in Use of Water Below Joliet.

Robert Gaylord, head of the syndicate which is fighting the Chicago drainage canal board for control of water power rights at Joliet, before Judge Dill of the Circuit Court secured at temporary injunction against the American Steel and Wire Company restraining it from using the waters of the drainage canal for its pumping station at the Rockdale plant below Joliet.

### NEW PRESIDENT OF W. C. T. U.

#### Miss Marie C. Brehm of Chicago Is a Forceful and Original Leader.

Miss Marie C. Brehm, who was re-elected president of the Illinois State Woman's Christian Temperance Union at the recent convention in Peoria, is now entering upon her second term in that office. She is the exponent and advocate of radical features in the new constitution, which has just been adopted, notably clauses restricting the State organization by counties rather than by congressional districts, as heretofore. She has also urged a petition to Congress for the enlargement of the cabinet of the President by the addition of a department of education. Miss Brehm has also proposed a section in the women's organization devoted to social and political economy, which she urges shall carry with it the advocacy of woman suffrage to the extent of allowing taxpaying women to vote for members of taxing bodies. She is a forceful speaker, and has been actively engaged in temperance work and in affairs concerning women for several years. She lives in Chicago.



MISS MARIE BREHM.

### ILLINOIS STATE FAIR OPENS.

#### Event Takes Place at Springfield on Golden Anniversary.

The Illinois State fair opened at Springfield on the golden anniversary of its existence, with the most flattering prospects for the State fair ever had. Every department of exhibits was filled to overflowing, the management being compelled to decline to receive further exhibits on account of lack of space to care for the same. The speed program is an unusually good one. The attendance at the fair was very large. The first being children's day, 30,000 children were on the grounds, they being admitted free. The city never presented a prettier appearance, the carnival and golden anniversary colors of the fair, gold and green, being visible everywhere in the liveliest decorations. The electrical display at night was very fine, as the principal public buildings were outlined in electricity and streets were lined with incandescent lights, with arches. Cross lights on the square were covered with red, white and blue lights. Every night some very fine performances of acrobats, divers, bicycle riders and performing animals were given on the court house square and government park.

### HOMER W. MCCOY.

#### New President of Bankers' Association, Which Recently Met in Peoria.

Homer W. McCoy, president of the Illinois Bankers' Association, which recently held its twelfth annual session at Peoria, was elected to his present important position one year ago. He went to Chicago from Peoria on May 1, 1901, to assist in founding the banking firm of McDonald, McCoy & Co. of World's Fair city. He had formerly been officially connected with the Commercial National Bank of Peoria.



H. W. MCCOY.

### CATCH ALLEGED TRAIN ROBBERS.

#### Three Men Held at Aledo for the Savanna Hold-Up.

City Marshal Frank Brusor, Mayor R. C. Roberts and Deputy Sheriff A. V. Lawrence at the head of a posse of citizens of New Boston, captured three men believed to be those wanted for the Burlington hold-up near Savanna. The men were driven from a box car, and two of them started to escape into the country north of town. Meanwhile Marshal Brusor was making a desperate attempt to capture the third man, who had sought refuge behind a tree with drawn revolver, with which he kept the crowd at bay. The three men were finally secured and lodged in Aledo jail. Their names are believed to be Edward Tracy, Frank Reed and Thomas Call.

### HORSE THIEF SENT TO JOLIET.

#### Daniel Brown Is Convicted at Rock Falls.

Daniel Brown was convicted in the Bureau County Circuit Court at Rock Falls of horse stealing, and sentenced to Joliet. He was charged with only one theft, but it is alleged that he is guilty of stealing five horses. The authorities have in their possession the description of sixty horses thieves that have been operating in northern Illinois. Horses are being stolen almost daily, and every possible effort is being made to effect their capture. It is now known that the gang is well organized, but how they got the horses out of the vicinity is not known.

### CREW NARROWLY ESCAPE.

#### Extricate Themselves from a Serious Train Wreck.

A rear-end collision between sections of a north-bound freight train occurred on the Illinois Central Railroad bridge at La Salle. A caboose which was uncoupled was thrown off the bridge, a distance of ninety feet. One engine left the tracks and was turned sideways on the bridge. Engineer Fishburn and Fireman Scott managed to climb from their perilous positions without injury. Traffic was suspended for six hours as a result of the wreck.

### New Church Dedicated.

The new Methodist Episcopal Church at Mendota was dedicated by Rev. H. A. Gobin, president of DePaul University. Addresses were also given by Presiding Elder A. T. Horn of DeKalb and Rev. J. A. J. Whipple of Joliet.

## END NOT IN SIGHT.

Anthracite War to Go Right On, Each Side Standing Firm.

## REACH NO AGREEMENT

President Roosevelt's Effort to End Coal Strike Is Fruitless.

Operators Refuse to Arbitrate with Men, but Demand Troops to Restore Peace—Two Stormy Conferences Held at White House in Washington—The Miners Offer Peace Plan and Are Condemned—Both Sides Talk Right Out in Meeting.

Absolute and complete failure to settle the great anthracite coal strike met the efforts of President Roosevelt Friday, and when two stormy conferences, held at the White House in Washington were concluded the solution of the labor fight seemed further off than ever.

President Mitchell, representing the striking miners, offered to submit the entire question to a board of arbitrators appointed by the President, who was asked to be a member of the board, and to abide by its decision, even if every point should be decided against the miners.

The coal presidents summarily and with some bitterness rejected the proffer of peace, demanded of the President that he suppress anarchy in the coal regions, and declared they never would treat with Mitchell.

### Summary of the Conference.

The rock upon which the conference split was recognition of the miners' union. The President urged the contending parties to cease strife in the interests of the public welfare. The miners, through the president of their union, expressed a willingness to submit differences to arbitration of a tribunal to be named by the President and to enter into an agreement to abide by terms fixed by the arbitration for a period of from one to five years; and the employers, through the presidents of the railroad and coal companies and a leading independent mine operator, squarely refused arbitration, denounced the miners' labor organization as a lawless and anarchistic body with which they could and would have no dealings, demanded federal troops to insure complete protection to workers and their families in the mining region and court proceedings against the miners' union, and offered, if the men returned to work, to submit grievances at individual collieries to the decision of the judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the district of Pennsylvania, in which the colliery was located.

The President asked Mr. Mitchell if he would agree to submit the questions to these courts, and he said "No."

### Forceful Language Used.

The final session was a stormy one. President Roosevelt did not look with favor upon the attitude of the coal president and did not hesitate to say so in the forceful manner so characteristic of him. President Mitchell resented the attacks upon the men he represented, and the coal presidents then elaborated and re-enforced the charges made in their statement.

"Every one spoke right out in meeting," said one of the officials, "and it reminded me of the Senate chamber during a bitter debate. Every one was so much in earnest he did not realize how vigorous was the language used."

From the time the afternoon conference opened until shortly after 5 o'clock this heated argument continued. At the beginning the labor representatives and the President were in a conciliatory mood, but the coal presidents evidently did not intend to yield an inch, and threw down the gauntlet by making a scathing attack on the miners.

Mr. Mitchell made a most favorable impression. He was cool, calm, self-contained, and during the insinuations made against him by the coal presidents, he was earnest and forceful in the presentation of the miners' side of the controversy and resented with dignity the attacks made upon him. He was the spokesman for the miners, and his three colleagues, who were present by courtesy, did not open their lips.

The coal presidents were excited, even after the conference adjourned. When they left they were smiling and confident, but upon leaving their faces were flushed and their lips humor was apparent. On leaving the mansion, they passed through a lane of humanity, plentifully sprinkled with newspaper men, who fired a volley of questions at them. They declined to answer, and would not indicate if any conclusion had been reached.

### Sparks from the Wires.

All the gas companies of Greater Boston are to be merged.

Charles F. Murphy was elected leader of Tammany Hall at the meeting of the executive committee.

G. F. Harmonson, proprietor of the St. Nicholas Hotel in Topeka, started to build a fire. He got hold of a can of gasoline instead of coal oil and in the explosion which followed he was frightfully burned. He died.

Henry Lowry, a young farmer of the vicinity of Wellington, Kan., was found guilty of infanticide by a jury in the District Court, and will receive a sentence for murder in the second degree. The crime was committed May 2, 1901, a few hours after his wife gave birth to the infant, whose paternity Lowry denied.

Over 10,000 people were in Horton, Kan., to celebrate its sixteenth anniversary.

The Kansas City School of Law began its eighth year with an enrollment of 183. Seventy of these are in the freshmen class, and sixty-eight are seniors.

The McAninch farm, twelve miles north of Sedalia, Mo., comprising 825 acres, was sold to W. M. Ainsworth of McLean County, Ill., for \$41,250 cash.

The Duchess of Rodolfo, who is a daughter of United States Senator J. H. Mitchell of Oregon, was successfully operated upon at Paris for appendicitis.

## NEW GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.



John F. Wallace, who has been appointed general manager of the Illinois Central system, including the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley road, has been prominently identified with western railroad and civil engineering since 1880. Mr. Wallace is a past president of the American Society of Civil Engineers, which is the highest honor civil engineers of America can give. It was largely through his efforts that the physical condition of the Illinois Central road has been made almost perfect.

## SCANDAL STIRS SPAIN.

### Ex-Queen Secretly Marries Escosura, Her Master of Horse.

A dispatch from Madrid tells of a grave scandal in the royal family. It is asserted that King Alfonso's mother, recently regent of Spain, has morganatically married Count Escosura her master of horse.

During Maria Christina's recent visit to Austria King Alfonso learned of the affair and took the queen to task concerning it on her return. A violent scene ensued, which ended in a peremptory order to the queen mother to leave Spain.

Thus far Maria Christina has refused to obey her son's order and sensational developments are expected.

Maria Christina, ex-queen regent of Spain, was born July 21, 1853, and was



EX-QUEEN OF SPAIN.

the second daughter of the late Archduke Charles of Austria. She married Nov. 29, 1870, Alfonso XII, King of Spain, as his second wife. Upon his death, Nov. 25, 1885, she was appointed regent, acting as such until the accession of her son, Alfonso, to the throne recently. The young king was born May 17, 1886. The war with the United States was a severe blow to the queen, who was prostrated by the reverses to her arms and the loss of her foreign possessions.

## MUST DIG COAL.

### Roosevelt Seeks Plan to Force Settlement of Miner's Strike.

It was decided at a conference of cabinet members and Gov. Crane with the President that President Roosevelt will take a hand in settling the coal strike. According to a Washington dispatch, the agreement was reached that the coal strike is a national calamity, ruining the country's business and seriously affecting every home in the land, and it must be stopped. It is said the first attempt will be made along the lines of moral suasion. Even if the interested parties hesitate about accepting a reasonable compromise it is believed the presentation of a proposition by President Roosevelt will bring the controversy to a direct issue, and public opinion will be so strong in favor of its adoption that both the miners and mine owners will be forced to make concessions and end a situation which has become intolerable.

If moral influence is not successful then the President will resort to legal means and every law upon the statute books which has any bearing on the situation will be invoked for the purpose of bringing about a resumption of work in the mines and giving relief to the people. Just what the powers of the federal government in the premises are will necessitate a thorough search of the statutes to determine and instructions have been given by the President to the Attorney General to prepare to make a winning fight against the coal companies.

It may be necessary to call an extra session of Congress. An extraordinary session of Congress will be called if there is no other means to reach the trouble. Attorney General Knox, who will devote his time to this important question to the exclusion of everything else, is of the opinion that laws already exist which can be utilized in forcing a cessation of the strike if moral influences do not prevail.

### Iowa's "Old-Timer Law."

Iowa has a law which provides for the confining of habitual drunkards in insane asylums. It is popularly known as "the old-timer law," and its enforcement is reported to be having a wonderful effect. Many men who for years have been in the habit of getting drunk regularly have reformed and become more or less useful as citizens.

Eastern furniture firms have commenced shipping without loss from Oklahoma. A shipment was made to Germany recently.

## TROOPS ORDERED OUT

### PENNSYLVANIA'S ENTIRE NATIONAL GUARD CALLED.

Operators Given Full Protection by Governor Stone—Soldiers Will Aid All Men Who Wish to Work in the Anthracite Fields.

Gov. Stone of Pennsylvania Monday night ordered the entire National Guard of the State into the anthracite coal fields. Ten thousand armed men will attempt to open the mines that have been idle during the last twenty weeks.

While the council of war that decided upon this radical action was being held John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, was holding a secret conference with Frank P. Sargent, who had been sent by President Roosevelt to discuss new plans for settling the strike. The action of Gov. Stone is believed to have been taken without consulting President Roosevelt's wishes and, according to a Harrisburg dispatch, seems likely to thwart the President's latest move in the interests of peace.

Settlement of the great battle between the coal operators and their employees seems as far off as ever.

President Mitchell Monday night issued a call for district meetings to be held to pass resolutions expressing the sentiments of the miners as to continuing the strike, in which he declares he is confident of final victory.

### Recalls Homestead Troubles.

This is the first time since the Homestead riots in 1892 that the entire division of the guard has been ordered out for strike duty. At this time, however, no unusual disorder has been reported and the move is looked upon more as one of policy than of necessity. The cost to the State of this four of duty will probably exceed \$1,000,000.

During the riots about Pittsburgh in 1877 during President Hayes' administration the guard was called out. Fifteen years later when the iron workers about Homestead began rioting two brigades, the Second from the western part of the State and the Third from the central part, were on active duty about the great iron works, while the First from Philadelphia and its vicinity was called out and encamped at Mount Gretna, where they awaited orders; but the strike was settled and the First never reached the strike field. The entire strength of the National Guard of Pennsylvania is about 10,000 men and officers. The troops already in the field consist of fifty-two companies of infantry and three troops of cavalry. The reinforcements ordered out aggregate ninety-eight companies of infantry, one troop of cavalry and three batteries.

## RECEIVER FOR THE MINES.

### Big Coal Railroads Must Fight Determined Action.

Several Boston men, seeking public relief in the courts from the coal shortage and high prices, have filed in the State Supreme Court a bill in equity asking for a receiver for coal producing railroads and companies operating in Pennsylvania.

The petitioners ask that a receiver be appointed for the benefit of all concerned upon such terms and in such manner, and with such agents and servants, and with such rates of wages and other conditions of employment, and at such prices for goods produced and sold as the court shall from time to time adjudge proper.

The suit is in line with the contentions of Attorney General W. C. Clegg and is to make a test of his theory, which is based on the utterance of Chief Justice Waite of the United States Supreme Court in delivering an opinion of that court on the constitutionality of certain laws made by the Legislature of the State of Illinois for the purpose of regulating the methods and determining the compensation to be received for the handling and storage of grain by the elevator companies in the city of Chicago.

On that occasion Chief Justice Waite said:

"Property becomes clothed with a public interest when used in a manner to make it of public consequence and affect the community at large. When, therefore, one devotes his property to a use in which the public has an interest, he, in effect, grants to the public an interest in that use and he must submit to be controlled by the public for the common good to the extent of the interest he has thus created."



King Edward left the royal yacht at Dornoch and paid a visit to Andrew Carnegie at Skibo castle.

M. Jean Jules Jusserand has been appointed by France to succeed M. Cambon as minister to the United States.

Force riots have occurred in Hungary between the Catholic students and orthodox, or Serbian, inhabitants of the town of Agram.

The Paris Journal des Debats says the continued decline in revenue is alarming. The year's deficit is likely to reach 100,000,000 francs.

It is reported by the military commanders in China that all the foreign troops, except the legation guards, are to be withdrawn simultaneously next spring.

An Anti-Income Tax League has been organized in London to protest against the present income tax law, and it is thought the government will order in its next budget a reduction of the tax.

The Italian government has just issued new stamps on which the old device gives place to the Roman eagle, with the arms of the house of Savoy. This is thought by some to indicate a larger political ambition for Italian expansion.

Martinique officials have conferred with the French colonial minister at Paris, and all have favored the complete abandonment of the island. The scientists who reported on the Tele-empire have been ordered by the French government to erect a permanent observatory from which the volcano can be watched.



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For State Superintendent Public Instruction, **ALFRED S. BAYLISS**  
For Trustees State University, **WILLIAM B. MCKINLEY**  
**MRS. LAURA B. DAVIS**  
**L. H. KERBRICK**  
For Clerk of Appellate Court, Second District, **CHRISTOPHER C. DUFFY**  
For Member of Congress, **GEORGE EDMUND FOSS**  
For Representatives in General Assembly, **EDWARD D. SHIRTLIFF**  
**GEORGE R. LYON**  
For County Judge, **DEWITT L. JONES**  
For County Clerk, **ALBERT L. HENDEE**  
For Treasurer, **L. C. PRICE**  
For Sheriff, **GEORGE N. POWELL**  
For Superintendent of Schools, **FRANK N. GAGGIN.**

At the head of this column may be found the State and County Republican ticket to be voted for at the coming November election. The announcement in the papers of the different independent candidates for the offices of Member of the Legislature, for Treasurer and Sheriff, should receive no consideration at the hands of the republican voters of Lake county. The gentlemen who have received the nominations at the hands of the Republican County Convention are entitled to your support, and the political score-keepers who have failed of recognition through the regular channels should go way back and sit down and remain there until their valuable services are required.

The Democratic text book devotes a great deal of space to a sort of a rambling discussion of the trust question without showing any intelligent understanding of it, and without suggesting any remedy for its alleged evils. Not only this, but it willfully misrepresents present conditions in claiming, in high sounding Bryanist phrases, that "the trusts are dismantling mills and throwing men out of employment." The facts are that labor never was so generally employed and never better paid.

And now the Democratic state press has found a new cause of complaint against the state charitable institutions. They want to know where the orphans are to come from to keep up the attendance of the Soldiers Orphans Home. They complainingly refer to the fact that after a lapse of forty years since the war there are now less than three hundred soldiers' orphans to be cared for in this institution. But, come to think of it, the care of the American soldier has never been a matter which has enlisted the most cordial co-operation of the Democracy.

President Roosevelt's comparison of trusts to the Mississippi river was original, striking and instructive. The great river can be to some extent regulated and controlled, but it cannot be dammed or stopped. "A flood comes down the Mississippi river," said the President. "You cannot stop it. You can guide between levees, so as to prevent its doing injury, so as to insure its doing good. So you cannot put a stop to or reverse the industrial tendencies of the age. You can control and regulate them so that they will do no harm." The trust smasher would abolish the great river entirely.

Democratic campaign managers, in the absence of some constructive policy with which to appeal to the voter, seek to stir up discontent and arouse prejudice by ringing the changes on "high prices." True, prices of some things are higher than they were a few years ago. Prices of commodities naturally go up when people have money to buy them. It is the demand that makes prices and lack of it that unmakes them. Most prices that seem high now have that appearance when compared with the abnormally low prices of a period when the masses had little money to buy anything at any price. What working man would want to go back to the time when the days of his employment were few and his wages small for the sake of low prices that accompanied that condition?

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## KANKAKEE ASYLUM.

Report of the State Board of Charities Made Public by Governor Yates.

### CRUELTY CHARGES NOT UPHOLD

Contributions of Employees Were Voluntary—Thorough Investigation of Immorality Charges.

The report of the State Board of Charities on the Kankakee Insane Asylum as a political incident may be considered closed. Prompted and instigated by a spirit of revenge on the part of a discharged employe, in the minds of a conservative people there was never much importance attached to it. Certain Chicago papers, however, always looking for the slightest opportunity to attack and criticize a Republican state administration and a Republican management of the state institutions took advantage of the charges preferred to create, in some circles at least, a wrong impression in regard not only to the seriousness of the charges, but as to the truthfulness of the same. Where a question of veracity arises between the Chicago newspapers and a reputable body of citizens such as constitute the State Board of Charities, intelligent people of the state will have no difficulty in deciding which is entitled to the greatest credit.

The report of the State Board of Charities on the investigation was given to Governor Yates, and by him immediately made public. The report is a massive document containing over 9,000 words. Every charge made at the time of the inquiry is taken up and a review of the evidence on each particular point is given. The evidence of each witness is recited substantially in full, and the conclusion of the board drawn from this testimony. The action of the board was unanimous—the conclusions arrived at being agreed to by the whole board.

**Cruelty Charges Not Upheld.**  
Every witness who was supposed to have any knowledge of the condition of the various wards of the institution was closely questioned as to any acts of cruelty to patients, and every one of them testified on oath that they had never seen any such acts. The quality and quantity of food furnished to inmates was also made a special feature of the inquiry and every witness who was called on to testify concerning the food stated that the quantity was sufficient and the quality good, the same quality of food that is furnished the inmates and cooked at the same time being furnished to employes. The board, therefore, reiterates what it said in the preliminary report to Acting Governor Northcott, namely: that there are no cruelties whatsoever practiced upon the inmates of the hospital, that the food furnished them is of good quality and sufficient in quantity, and that they are under the care of competent, intelligent and humane nurses.

During the progress of the investigation it developed by a statement made by Dr. Corbus, the superintendent, that political contributions were made by the employes of the institution. This statement caused a great furor in the Chicago papers and the extent and character of these contributions was largely exaggerated. The State Board of Charities investigated this matter and reached the following conclusion:

#### Contributions Were Voluntary.

"While it appears that funds were collected from employes for political purposes, there is no evidence that any employe was ever required to contribute, or that he was discharged for failure to do so."

### THE GOSPEL OF EARLY STATESMEN.

"The subject of expansion is not a new one. It was the gospel of the early statesmen and patriots of this country. It found substantial realization in the magnificent achievement of that illustrious statesman—Thomas Jefferson. It was the dream of Marcy. In 1853 he sought to acquire the Hawaiian Islands. It was a dream of Seward; it was the dream of Douglas."—President McKinley at Madison, Wis., Oct. 16, 1898.

are to do so. Several of the employes examined, some of whom have been at the hospital for years, testified that they have never been called upon to contribute, and have not done so. It is certain that no part of any employe's pay is withheld, for under the regulations of this board each employe is paid by check the full amount due him, and the check so issued is delivered to him. A comparison of the pay rolls with these checks, canceled and returned through the banks, properly indorsed, can be made at any time. There is no question but that the extent of these contributions has been grossly exaggerated, as well as the effect such practice has had upon the care and management of the hospital. Not one dollar is given that could or would have gone to care for the insane or helpless wards of the state.

"Your board has no desire to interfere in any way with the privilege which every citizen has of contributing money for the purpose of promoting the interests of the political party to which he belongs. It is of the opinion, however, that the superintendent should not permit the collection of funds for political purposes from employes, where such action may be construed by them as a requirement to give contrary to their own free inclinations and desires."

The serious charge, after all, and one which gave the people of the state more uneasiness than any other, was the charge of immorality in the institution, and the resultant birth of two illegitimate children. This matter was most thoroughly investigated by

the board, and upon this they make the following report:

**Illegitimate Children.**  
"With reference to the concealing and giving birth to two illegitimate children by two patients in the institution, your board finds that the care and cure of convalescent, improved and trusted patients require more or less freedom and parole. One of the patients referred to had been in a parole ward for two years and was subsequently employed for fourteen months at the superintendent's residence. She had given birth to an illegitimate child before her admission to the hospital, and Dr. Corbus, realizing the danger, besought her sister to keep her there. The faith and reliance put in the woman by Miss Bates on this one evening in particular in permitting her to go to the dance unattended afforded the opportunity which brought such evil consequences. The woman was properly attended upon her return from the dance."

"The superintendent mistrusted the other woman and had ordered her more closely confined. How or through whose fault the opportunity came to her to hold sexual intercourse with any one would not be determined. The management made prompt investigation to locate the responsibility in both cases with the results hereinbefore mentioned."

The board took up, investigated and disposed of a number of minor charges made by the Chicago papers and in no instance found those charges to be sustained by the evidence. The report of the board throughout is a clear-cut statement of the evidence, together with the logical conclusions drawn therefrom, and its full reading would convince any reasonable person that this Kankakee affair has been very much exaggerated and the people of the state unnecessarily alarmed.

#### Governor Yates on Political Levees.

Concurrent with this report Governor Yates issued an order to the heads of the state institutions and departments, the full text of which is here-with given.

"To heads of institutions and departments: "Charges have been recently made that state employes are being subject to levy of assessments or compulsory contributions for political purposes in various state institutions and departments. It has been charged that all such employes are subjected to such assessment even to the minor employes and including scrubwomen. The further charge is made that all such employes are subjected to dismissal from their position for failure to make such contributions."

"I have made investigation into this matter, so far as this administration is concerned, from all the information at my command, and I find that in no institution or department has any woman ever been asked or allowed to contribute. I further find that in no institution or department has there been any such collection or invitation to contribute as may be construed into a requirement."

#### Finds "Contributions Were Allowed."

"I do find, however, that in some institutions contributions for political purposes have been allowed, in the case of male employes above the grade of attendant or nurse."

"The State Board of Charities, in a report of their investigation of charges against the Illinois Eastern Hospital for the Insane at Kankakee, use the following language: "While it appears that funds were collected from employes for political purposes, there is no evidence that any employe was ever required to contribute, or that he was discharged for failure to do so. Several of the employes examined, some of whom have been at the hospital for years, testified that they have never been called upon to contribute and have not done so. It is certain that no part of any employe's pay is withheld, for under the regulations of this board each employe is paid by check the full amount due him, and the check so issued is delivered to him. A comparison of the pay rolls with these checks, canceled and returned through the banks, properly indorsed, can be made at any time."

#### Exaggeration Is Charged.

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#### Orders the Levies Stopped.

"It is my earnest desire that the spirit of recommendation apply to all institutions and departments of the state government, and accordingly it is hereby ordered:


- "That there be no compulsory political contribution or levy of assessment for political purposes of any kind at any time."
- "That no person be permitted to collect or receive any contribution against the will of the contributor."
- "That no employe be discharged or suspended for failure to make contributions."

#### Have Right to Contribute.

"That this order is not to be construed to in any way interfere with the undoubted right of employes to contribute voluntarily, and of their own free will and accord, for the support of their respective party organizations, candidates and campaigns."

"5. That if any employe discharged since Jan. 15, 1901, shall claim that he has been discharged solely for failure to make political contributions, you forthwith cause investigation to be made, and if you are satisfied the claim is well established you at once reinstata the employe, provided he is competent, honest, of good habits, and attentive to duty."

"6. That on the other hand, no incompetent, immoral or insubordinate employe shall be allowed to hide be-



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## TOWNS

### BRISTOL, WIS.

Mrs. F. E. Stevens went to Kenosha on Tuesday.

Sheriff Whitcher spent Saturday night and Sunday in our village.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Castle, of Chicago, are visiting at E. S. Castle's.

Fred Shottliff, of Antioch, spent several days of last week with friends here.

Mrs. Joslyn is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Upson.

Mrs. George Robinson, of Genoa Junction, was in our village last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willett went to Kenosha on Friday. They took in the carnival.

Mrs. Sheen, of Paris Corners, visited her sister, Mrs. Bacon, a few days of last week.

Shottliff Brothers are having a deep well bored. Firchow Brothers are doing the work.

Frank Rowbottom, who has been visiting friends at Peru, Ill., during the past week returned home last Monday evening.

Mrs. Kittie Moore is home for a few days. Mrs. Moore will begin housekeeping on the west side in Chicago in the near future.

The following people visited the carnival at Kenosha last week, Mesdames Anna Shottliff, Laura Lavey, Blanch Fox, Dot Bryant and Corn Lavey.

James Eddy, Wells Cartis, C. E. Williams and R. F. Sherman left this village Sunday morning for Washington, D. C. where they will attend the national encampment of the Grand Army.

Mrs. L. D. Scherer and Mr. and Mrs. Giddings and daughter Alice, left on Monday for California. Mr. and Mrs. Giddings have recently sold their property at Union Grove and will locate at Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Burgess have become residents of our village. They have moved into the Hensel house, which Mr. Burgess purchased some time ago. Their many Bristol friends welcome them into our midst.

Several of our teachers went to the teachers meeting at Kenosha last Saturday and took in the carnival. Among those who went were Misses Edith Murdock, Emma Castle, Jennie Stevens, Emeline Bishop, Mame Bacon and Cassie Cole.

Mayor Rose, of Milwaukee, would be governor of Wisconsin, will speak to the people of Bristol and vicinity on Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock. Even if our people are not in harmony with the democratic platform we should at least go to the depot and hear what Mayor Rose has to say.

Our little village was the scene of great excitement on Saturday evening. Sheriff Whitcher was here and received a telephone message from Under Sheriff Reinold that an actor in the Carnival company had shot and killed his sweetheart and was attempting to escape by train which was on its way to our village. The sheriff immediately organized a posse, all the revolvers and shooting irons were gotten together and the crowd started for the depot, only to find that a mistake had been made, as there was no train on the road. The murderer was located and arrested at Waukegan. He pleaded guilty and will be sentenced at once.

### Want to Break Up Club.

One hundred and sixty women have signed their willingness to marry the president of a bachelors club in New Jersey. They have not seen him, but they are ready to take chances if there is a prospect of breaking up the club.

San Francisco Leads in Suicides.  
San Francisco leads American cities with the largest ratio of suicides, or 89.1 per 100,000 of population.

### GRAYSLAKE, ILL.

Mrs. Leach is entertaining friends from Iowa.

Mr. Riel and family will move in C. M. Read's house.

The M. E. services here have been given up for the present.

Harry Lusk is again able to be out after an attack of the quinsy.

J. J. Longbaugh has been confined to his bed most of the week.

The pupils in Mr. Decker's room at the school have rented a new piano.

Mrs. N. Smith entertained company from out of town the first of the week.

E. B. Novill is attending the Masonic Grand Chapter held in Chicago this week.

Dr. Palmer was called to Waukegan on Tuesday to assist Dr. Brown in an operation case.

Josie Druce has purchased the lot next to Mr. Bucknam's and intends building in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead and daughter, Susie, move into their new home the last of the week.

A number of the Eastern Star members are attending the O. E. S. Grand Chapter in Chicago this week.

The Grayslake Cemetery society have decided to have a new iron fence for the cemetery and will have it erected at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner left on Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Ashland, Wis. F. Hlramer, of Marshville, will act as agent here during Mr. Wagner's absence.

The thirty-second annual convention of the Lake County Sunday School association will be held in the Congregational church here on Oct. 17 and 18. All interested in the work should plan to attend.

### MILLBURN, ILL.

The long distance telephone is still in the future.

John A. Strang left for Chicago Sunday evening for a short visit.

E. A. Martin left for Chicago on Friday evening for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCann were Waukegan visitors Monday.

Mrs. James Jamison will leave this week to visit her brothers in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth left for Chicago Friday morning to be absent two weeks.

Many of our people attended the funeral of Mr. John Cunningham at Mill Creek cemetery Friday.

Rev. Mr. Rogers, of Chicago, occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church morning and evening.

The entertainment of the Fisk Jubilee Concert Company was given at the Congregational church Monday evening, and considering the bad condition of the roads there was a fine attendance.

### Laborers on Nile Dam.

Since 1899 the great Nile dam at Assouan has given steady employment to from 19,000 to 20,000 Italian and Egyptian laborers.



### LAKE VILLA.

Grandma Francis is quite ill.

J. McNulty is having a barn built on his lot.

Miss Mamie Nader is visiting in Chicago this week.

Mrs. Mary Farrier, of Chicago, spent a few days here the first of the week.

C. I. Harbaugh, C. G. Nelson and L. W. Howling were in Chicago the first of the week.

Mrs. Mary VanPatten and Mrs. Tobin, of Chicago, called on Mrs. Ben Hamlin Sunday.

W. Barnstable is having an addition built to the Dunn cottage which he recently purchased.

Norman McLean is again able to attend school after having been disabled by a sore knee for a week.

Rev. Hay is attending conference at Austin this week and Mrs. Hay will spend the week in Chicago and Highwood.

Several new walks have been built in town during the last week. W. Fairman, W. Barnstable, J. Leonard and J. McNulty having built walks along their property.

There will be no preaching services nor Epworth League at Lake Villa M. E. church next Sunday October 12, as it is conference Sunday. Sunday School at 12 o'clock. Regular services the following Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will take orders for Christmas work dressing dolls, making fancy work, etc. Those desiring work done should give orders immediately, so that work will be done in time.

### TREVOR, WIS.

The farmers are busy cutting corn.

Mrs. John Emsley is on the sick list.

Mrs. S. Pitcher took in Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Smithbower returned from Chicago last week.

Mrs. Vincent, of Wilmet, called on Mrs. L. A. Havens last Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Patrick had a cousin visiting her from Colorado last week.

Mrs. Chas. Kelly, of Chicago, visited Mrs. E. Kennedy over Sunday.

Mrs. Lucas and son, of Millburn, visited her aunt, Mrs. J. Emsley, last week.

Mrs. Chas. Pullen, of Antioch, visited her niece, Mrs. Drom, last Saturday.

Mr. Howard Moore returned home Friday after spending a few days in the city.

Mr. E. Terpening, of Chicago, is visiting his wife and other relatives a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lubens, of Paddock Lake, visited at A. Booth's one day last week.

The society was not very largely attended at Mrs. Havens on account of the bad weather.

Mr. Levi Orvis and Miss Flora Orvis, of Camp Lake, spent Wednesday evening at W. Taylor's.

Mr. J. Montgomery and youngest son took in the city last Friday. J. went to order his fall goods.

Miss Jessie Garland, of Bristol, is visiting relatives here before starting for her school beyond Chicago, where she will spend the winter taking music.

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Kaiser Invites Kitchener.  
The Kaiser has sent to Lord Kitchener a pressing invitation to visit Germany before he goes to Russia. This letter states that the entire German army would esteem it a privilege to be allowed to welcome so distinguished a soldier.

Find Anecdotes of Diogenes.  
Dr. Wessely of Vienna, has discovered in a papyrus some new sayings of Diogenes the Cynic. There are proverbs and a number of tales. The papyrus is in wretched condition, and only a few columns are legible, but it must have contained about 300 anecdotes of the philosopher.

A Sensible Rule.  
"I observe that you invariably praise your rivals," said one actress. "Yes," answered the other. "It's the wisest thing to do. It sounds magnanimous and also conveys the impression that you did not consider them worth being jealous of."

Exploration in Labrador.  
Col. Willard Glazier and his party of ten New England college men, who sailed from Boston for Labrador on July 10, have just returned home. An unknown river in Labrador was discovered by the party.

Surely a Good Reason.  
Mr. Norther—I've often wondered why so many colored men are lynched down this way. Colonel South—Well, sub, I reckon it's because they don't start runnin' quick enough.—Philadelphia Record.

To Study American Dentistry.  
Dr. Florestan Aguilar, dentist to the king of Spain, has arrived in this country to study American methods of filling and pulling teeth. The doctor is professor of odontology in the University of Madrid.

Long-Lived People.  
Statistics show that the longest lived people have generally been those who made breakfast the principal meal of the day.

Sheep Shearers May Strike.  
On the pastoralists' refusal to increase wages a general strike of sheep shearers is being threatened in Australia.

Beet Sugar in Germany.  
Germany is credited with 2,295,000 of the 6,825,000 tons of beet sugar produced in the world last year.

Cotton Lands by Syndicate.  
Cotton lands having an area of 170,000 acres have been purchased in Louisiana by Cleveland capitalists.

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## CHAPTER XVII.—(Continued.)

"Where are you?" cried the buccaneer, in a harsh, imperious voice, deep almost as that of a man.

"There was no reply.

"Where are you, I say?" was repeated, imperiously. "Are you ashamed to speak?"

"No! What do you want?"

"The buccaneer started in surprise, and faced round.

"Are you there? Forward! Traitor! This explains all. This is the meaning of the haughty contempt—the miserable coldness. Humphrey Armstrong—you, the brave officer!"

"Woman, are you mad?"

"Yes! Mad!" cried the buccaneer, fiercely. "I scorn myself for my want, pitiful fancy for so despicable a creature as you. So this is the brave captain, holding nightly meetings with that woman!"

"As I would with anyone who could help me to escape from this vile bondage," said Humphrey.

"Vile! Who has made it vile?"

"You," said Humphrey, sternly, "and as if I were not degraded low enough, you come here to insult me!"

"There was utter silence for a few moments, and then a quick step forward, and before Humphrey Armstrong could realize the fact, Mary Dell had cast herself down, thrown her arms around him, and laid her cheek against his feet.

"Trample on me and crush me, or kill me," she moaned. "I am mad. I did not think it. Humphrey, have pity on me!"

You do not know," said Humphrey.

He trembled as she spoke, and clinched his fists tightly, but making an effort over himself, he said, coldly:

"You have imprisoned the woman's lover, and she says he is to die. She came there, to plan escape with me and the man I persuaded to be the partner of my flight. For this he is to die!"

"It is the men's will," groaned the prostrate woman.

"She has been praying to me to save her lover. I felt I could not ask you; but I do ask. Spare the poor fellow's life, and set him free!"

"Do you wish it?"

"Yes."

"He shall be set free. You see, I can be merciful, while you are stern and cold. How long am I to suffer this?"

"How long will you keep me here a prisoner?"

"How long will you keep yourself a prisoner, you should say. It is for you to be master here; for me to be your slave. How can I humble myself—degrade myself—more?"

Humphrey drew his breath in an angry, impatient hiss.

"For heaven's sake, rise!" he cried.

"You lower yourself, you humble me. Come, let us talk sensibly. I do not want to be hard upon you. I will not say bitter things. Give me your hand."

He took the hand nearest him as he bent down, and raised the prostrate woman.

"Be seated," he said, gravely. "Let me talk to you as I would to someone who can listen in an unprejudiced spirit."

"Go on. You torture me."

"I must torture you, for I have words to speak that must be uttered."

He paused for a few moments; and then went on, speaking now quickly and excitedly, as if the words he uttered gave him pain at the same time that they inflicted it upon another.

"When I was chosen to command this expedition, against one who had made the name of Commodore Junk a terror all round the gulf and amid the isles, I knew not what my fate might be. There were disease and death to combat, and I might never return."

He paused again. Then more hurriedly:

"There was one to whom—"

"Stop!" came in a quick, angry voice. "I know what you would say; but you do not love another. It is not true."

Humphrey Armstrong paused, again, and then in a low, husky voice:

"I bade farewell to one whom I hoped on my return to make my wife. It pains me to say these words, but you force them from me."

"Have I not degraded myself enough? Have I not suffered till I am nearly mad that you tell me this?" came in piteous tones.

"Was I to blame?"

"You? No. It was our fate. What a triumph was mine, to find that I, the master who had lived so long with my secret known but to poor Bart, was now beaten, humbled—to find that day by day I was less powerful of will—that my men were beginning to lose confidence in me, and were ready to listen to the plots and plans of one whom I had spared, for him to become my deadly enemy day by day. Humphrey Armstrong, have you no return to offer me for all I have suffered—all I have lost? Tell me this is false. You do not—you cannot—love this woman!"

He was silent.

"Is she so beautiful? Is she so true? Will she give you wealth and power? Will she lay down her life for you? Would she degrade herself for you as I have done, and kneel before you, saying, 'Have pity on me—I love you?'"

"Hush, woman!" cried Humphrey, hoarsely. "And for pity's sake—the pity of which you speak—let us part and meet no more. I cannot. I will not listen to your words. Give me my liberty, and let me go."

"To denounce me and mine?"

"Am I such a coward, such a wretch, that I should do this?" he cried, passionately.

"When said. Listen: I will give you love such as woman never gave man before. I loved your cousin as a weak, foolish girl loves the first man who whispers compliments and sings her praises. It is to her all new and strange, this revelation of something of which she had dreamed. But as the veil fell from my eyes, and I saw how cowardly and base he was, that love withered away, and I thought that love was dead. But when I came my heart leaped, and I trembled, and wondered. I shrank from you, telling myself that it was a momentary fancy; and I lied, for it was the first strong love of a lonely woman thirsting

for the sympathy of one who could love her in return."

"Oh! hush—hush!" cried Humphrey. "I told you that it can never be."

"And she will never love you as I would—as I do," came in a low, imploring whisper.

"Yes, yes, a thousand times yes!" cried Humphrey. "Even if it were not so, I could not. No, I will not speak. I only say, for pity's sake let us part!"

He leaned forward with outstretched hand, and bending down it touched the cold stone of the altar.

He swept his hand to left and right, listening intently; but there was no sound.

"Why do you not speak?" he said, sternly, as he realized the folly of his first surmise.

His words seemed to murmur in the roof and die away, but there was no reply.

## CHAPTER XVIII.

"Dinny! You here?"

"Yes, sor—it's me."

"But at liberty?"

"Yes, sir; and I'm to attend on ye as I did afore."

"But—"

"Oh, it's all right, sor! The captain's a bit busy, and I'm not to be hung at present. I'm to be kept till there's a big holiday, and be strung up then. It's the fashion out in this part of the country."

"My poor fellow," cried Humphrey, "I am glad to see you safe again!"

"Safe, sir; and d'ye call it safe, when the first time, perhaps, as the skipper gets in a passion I shall be hung up in all me youth and beauty, like one of the big drooping flowers on a tree?"

"Nonsense, man!"

"Oh, it's since, sor; and I shall droop, too, wid all my might!"

"No, sor," said Humphrey, as he pondered upon the past, and saw in Dinny's replete a desire to gratify him. "No, my lad, I appealed to the captain to spare your life, and this is the result."

It was not until the next morning that he saw Dinny again.

"Is all quiet in the place?" he asked.

"An' is it quiet? Why, a tomb in Egypt is a lively place to it. The schooler's getting rotting for want o' work, and the men do nothing but schlap, and the captain's shut all alone while he isn't down in the forest saying his prayers."

"Is it the calm that comes before the storm, Dinny?" said Humphrey.

"Sure, an' I don't know, sor; but I'll keep watch if I can, and give ye word if there's anything wrong; but me word he'd be in a mix, and since I've been out of prison I seem to see nothing but Black Mazard shawring all over the place and takin' me darlin' away. Did ye interade wid the captain, sor?"

"Dinny, I have not seen him again," said Humphrey, frowning.

"Not seen him, sor! Why, he has been here half a dozen times."

"Been here? No."

"Sure and I saw him wid me own ois, sor. Twice he came to the windy there and four times along by the big passage. Sure I thought ye'd been colloguing."

"I was not aware of it, said Humphrey, calmly; but his words did not express the feelings that were raging within his breast, and as soon as he was alone he tried to analyze them.

He must flee. He could do nothing else, and growing momentarily more excited, he tried to force himself to act and think.

The old temple. He would flee there for the present, he said. It would remove him from Mary's pursuit, for she would never dream of his seeking refuge there, and from that place he might perhaps open up communication with Dinny.

He had no weapon, so he caught up a large table knife and stuck it in his waist-band. It was not much, but something, and at that moment he recalled Mary Dell's history—how she had told him that they had begun with a canoe; through that captured a large boat; that larger boat had enabled them to take a vessel; and so on until the swift schooner had been obtained.

In the same way that knife should grow into a sword, he said to himself; and then he felt a sensation of half-blind rage at himself for making the comparison.

"What is this hateful unsexed creature to me!" he said, angrily, as he stood thinking as to his next step.

All was silent, and the drawing aside of the great curtain proved that Bart was not on guard, for there was no dull, yellow gleam of his lantern at the end of the corridor, and once more it came over the prisoner as a feeling of wonder that he should not again and again have taken such steps as these. Almost unguarded, his prison doors and windows always open, and freedom given him to wander about the ruins, and yet like a plighted he had stayed.

"They know that the sea before, the forest and mountain behind, are stronger than bolt and bar," something seemed to whisper to him as he stood listening.

"But not to a determined man, ready to do or die!" he cried, as if forced to answer aloud; and he set his teeth as he still hesitated and paused before hurrying out of the great dark place.

He stopped. What would she do when she found that he had gone? What would she say of the man whom, with all her faults, she evidently dearly loved, and would sacrifice all to win?

Humphrey Armstrong stamped fiercely upon the old stone flooring, making the vaulted roof echo as he thrust his fingers into his ears in a child-like attempt to shut out and deafen himself to the silent whisperings which assailed him.

He gave one glance around, trying to penetrate the darkness, and hesitated no longer, but strode away, passing out of the long corridor out among the ruins, and well accustomed to the place now, making straight for the pathway which, at its division, turned toward the old temple.

All was still; but it seemed lighter away to his left than it could quite account for, and he was starting again when a distant shout as of many voices came through the silence of the night and died away.

"To start alone on a cruise," he said,

half aloud. "What madness!" Then passionately, "It all seems madness, and I can do nothing but drift with fate!"

Fighting down the strange hesitancy which kept assailing him in various forms, especially now in that of conjuring up difficulties in the way of escape, he plunged steadily into the forest path, and as fast as the darkness allowed, went on straight for the old temple, a grim place of refuge, with its ghastly roller of Abel Dell lying, as it were, in state, and the horrible, haunting, recollections of the cavern where the would-be assassin had met his fate, and the other had been consigned as to his tomb.

A sudden turn brought him close to the fork, where one path went winding to the left toward the men's and the capital's quarters, the other to the temple.

As he approached he became conscious of a rustling sound, as of a wild creature passing through the forest, and he snatched his knife from his waist, ready to strike for life if attacked; but, firmly convinced that there were no denizens of the wild there but such as were more likely to avoid him, he kept on again, to reach the dividing path just as he became aware that there was a creature passing through the wilderness of trees, but someone, like himself, hurrying along the track for the men's quarters so rapidly that they came in contact, and a hand seized him by the throat, and the point of some weapon seemed to be pressed against his breast, as a voice exclaimed, in a hoarse whisper:

"Make the slightest sound, and it is your death!"

And as these words seemed to be hissed into his face a shout arose from some distance along the path, and the tramping of feet and rustling of branches indicated that people were rapidly coming in pursuit.

"You!" exclaimed Humphrey, hoarsely, as he stood with hand uplifted to strike, but suspended in the act as if every muscle had suddenly become stone.

"Humphrey Armstrong," said the man, "the hand that had grasped his throat dropped nerveless, and the weapon fell from his breast as the shouting of men increased.

"Well," said Humphrey, bitterly, as if he were forcing himself to say words that he did not mean, "why do you not strike? I was escaping. Call up your gang of cutthroats and end it all."

"For heaven's sake, hush! Your will be heard."

"Well," said Humphrey, aloud, and as if in defiance; but a warm, soft hand was placed over his lips, and its owner whispered:

"You were trying to escape, or did you know?"

"Know!" said Humphrey, involuntarily speaking lower. "Know what? I was escaping."

"The old temple! No, no, they are going there."

"Your bounds!"

"Silence, man, for your life!" was whispered close to his ear, and the hand once more sought his lips.

"Come on, my lads!" came out of the darkness ahead. "I know where to find him, sniveling yonder among the old inmates. Come on!"

There was a shout, and it seemed as if the leader of a body of men, beneath whose feet the rotten branches that he strewn the path crunched, had suddenly barked for his companions to close up before saying a few final words of encouragement.

"Now, then," the voice said in thick, husky tones, "stand by me, lads. He's gone on there, and there's no getting back. One good, bold blow, and we'll scotch him like a snake. Then fair share and share alike of all there is hidden away, and start straight. He's no good now, and the others'll join in when he's gone. Ready?"

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# GOVERNOR YATES ON THE MERIT SYSTEM

"I am heartily in sympathy with those who favor some merit system applicable to our state charitable institutions. The gratifying success obtained under this administration by the retention of the main part of the old forces at the charitable institutions shows what a calamity it would be to have the whole force removed, from time to time, by the preferment to power of first one political party and then another."—Governor Yates at Peoria, September 24, 1902, to the League of Republican Clubs.

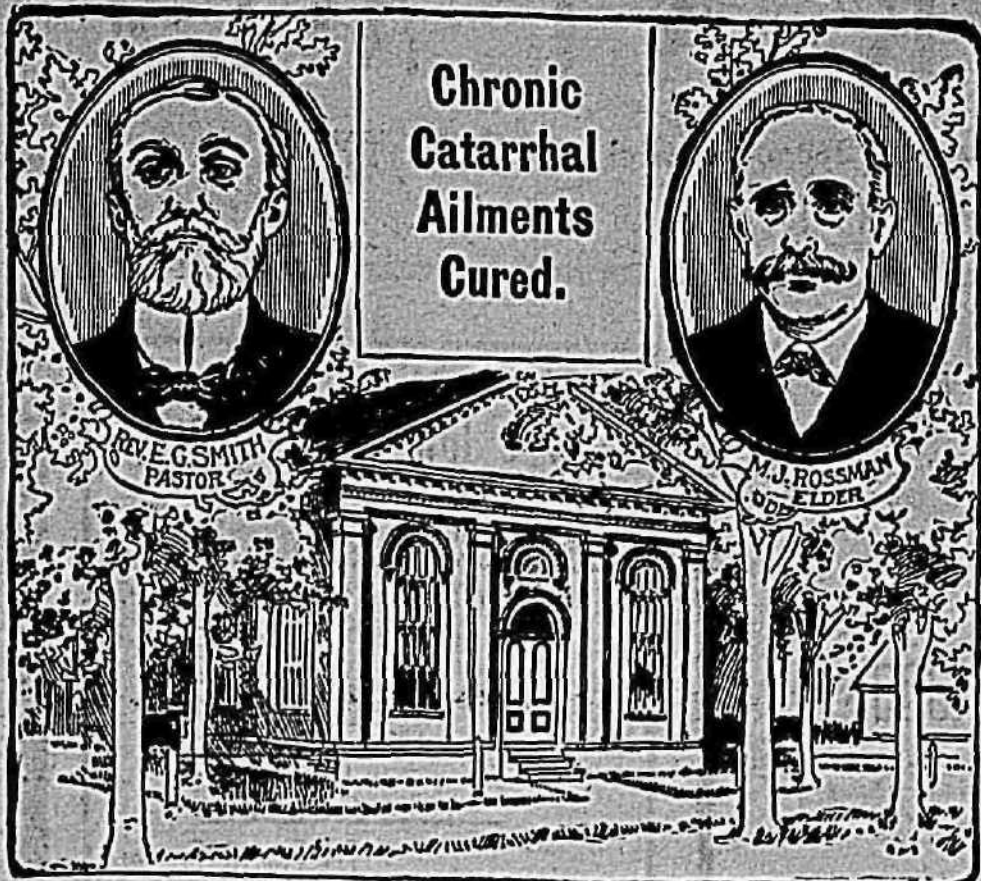
## STATE BOARD OF CHARITIES.

After Full Hearing and Review of Evidence, Conclusions Are Reached and Made Public.

The report of the state board of charities on the Kankakee insane asylum as a political incident, may be considered closed. Prompted and instigated by a spirit of revenge on the part of a discharged employe, in the minds of a conservative people there was never much importance attached to it. Certain Chicago papers, however, always looking for the slightest opportunity to attack and criticize a republican state administration and a republican management of the state institutions, took advantage of the charges preferred to create, in some circles at least, a wrong impression in regard not only to the seriousness of the charges, but as to the truthfulness of the same. Where a question of veracity arises between the Chicago sensational newspapers and a reputable body of citizens such as constitute the state board of charities, intelligent people of the state will have no difficulty in deciding as to which is entitled to the greatest credit.



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## SHAW AIDS THE BANKS

DECIDES TO RELEASE \$80,000,000 RESERVE.

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Secretary Shaw has again come to the relief of the money market with a plan which will make available for use more than \$80,000,000 in gold and about \$180,000,000 of credit. Under the law the national banks in cities are required to maintain a 25 per cent reserve against deposits of government money secured by United States bonds. It is within the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury and of the Comptroller of the Currency to prescribe severe penalties for banks which disregard this provision for any considerable length of time. Mr. Shaw now declares that he sees no good reason why banks holding deposits secured by government bonds should be obliged to submit to this restriction. By cancelling the requirement he makes available the \$80,000,000 which heretofore has been held in the banks having treasury deposits.



SECRETARY SHAW.

This expedient, in the opinion of many bankers, will suffice to tide the New York banks over the present emergency, though many say it is difficult to see how it can afford any permanent relief. The banks of New York have been persistently warned that in countenancing and abetting the furious stock speculations of last summer they were inviting just such an emergency as that which has now developed. With the added drain on their resources resulting from the call for money for "crop-moving" purposes they have been caught, and unless the present stringency teaches them a lesson they will be caught again and in the same way.

The treasury has on deposit with various banks scattered throughout the country from Maine to California and from Minnesota to New Orleans, in round numbers, \$180,000,000, against which they have heretofore been compelled to hold more than \$30,000,000 of gold or its equivalent. This decision will release that much reserve and \$30,000,000 additional credit.

PLAN TO END THE COAL STRIKE.

Detroit Business Men Decide to Call a National Convention.

Without a dissenting voice it was decided at a meeting held in the Detroit Council chamber to call a national convention having as its aim the opening of the mines throughout the anthracite coal regions of Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Strong resolutions were adopted calling for the ending of the coal strike. It was the first practical step in what is confidently predicted will furnish a solution of the difficulties at present existing.

In addition to the adoption of the resolutions telegrams were sent to the Governors of a score of States asking them to appoint delegates to the convention, which it is proposed to hold in Detroit, while similar action was taken in regard to the Mayors of all the principal cities in the States mentioned, the representation being on a basis of twenty from each State and ten from each city. The gravity of the situation was apparently fully realized by those in authority.

Contrary to statements of some dealers that coal will remain high all winter, even should the strike be settled, comes the announcement from the coal trust heads in New York that the prices must return to the regular October rates as soon as the strike is over and deliveries are resumed.

The announcement is considered by some as an indication that an early settlement of the strike is expected. The men who caused the statement to go out are in a position to gain inside information concerning the strike. For the season agents figure that the assurance of return to regular prices is a forerunner of the news that the mines are again in operation.

ROB GRAVES BY HUNDREDS.

Ghouls Operate on Large Scale at Indianapolis Cemeteries.

The wholesale robbery of graves in the cemeteries about Indianapolis was brought to a close by the arrest of a gang of seven negroes. Warrants were also issued for a prominent physician, the demonstrator of anatomy in a medical college, in which two stolen bodies were found about ten days ago; an intern in the college, and the white janitor of the college. Rufus Cantrell, one of the negroes, made a complete confession and implicated the others. He said the demonstrator accompanied the negroes on several of the grave-robbing expeditions. Upward of 100 graves, it is said, have been robbed by the ghouls during the last three months. The bodies were sold to different colleges.

The revelations made, the detectives say, are not only astounding but horrifying. They say that a complete investigation will show that even the graves in Crown Hill, one of the best guarded cemeteries in the United States, were desecrated by the ghouls. Cantrell said that he and the other negroes visited Mount Jackson cemetery almost every time anyone was buried in the place. "We pretty near cleaned that place out," he said. "I don't believe that we have missed any body that has been planted there since July."

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### A Hopeless Case.

There was a brilliant reception at the house of Mrs. Amory. Among the guests was a certain Mr. Mackenzie, a man of grave and somewhat taciturn demeanor, whom several of the young ladies present had tried to engage in conversation, but without much success.

One of them spoke to the hostess about him.

"He seems to be rather uneasy and out of place at a party like this," she said.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Amory, with a bright smile; "he can't talk anything but sense."

### A Supervisor's Story.

Lockport, N. Y., Oct. 6th. — Mr. George P. Penfold, Supervisor for the First Ward of the city of Lockport, has written the following letter for publication to the newspapers:

"It gives me great pleasure to recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills as a cure for Kidney Trouble.

"My kidneys troubled me more or less for years and treatment by local physicians only gave me partial and temporary relief.

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"I used altogether six boxes and found a permanent cure.

"This was two years ago, and I have not since been troubled in any way with pains in the back or any of the many other distressing difficulties arising from diseased kidneys."

(Signed) George P. Penfold, 807 Church St., Lockport, N. Y.

### Interference.

"Why, Lester, you shouldn't ask for such things in your prayers. You don't know whether they would be best for all or not."

"Say, will you stop interfering with me and the Lord?"—Chicago Daily News.

### His Advice.

Beggar—Say, boss, kin yer give me a dime ter git shaved with?  
O. B. Joyful—No.  
Beggar—Den wot would yer advise me ter do?  
O. B. Joyful—Raise a beard.

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### Not a Conversationalist.

"That girl can't talk a little bit."  
"Is that so?"  
"Quite true. The only thing she said to me the whole evening was 'No,' and I had proposed to her to get her to say that."

Everybody's liable to itching piles. Rich and poor, old and young—terrible the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure. Doan's Ointment. Absolutely safe; can't fail.

Boise City, Idaho, took a name from that of the river which flows by it. The latter was called by the French discoverers the Riviere Boise, or wooded river.

Can't be perfect health without pure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood. Tones and invigorates the whole system.

What was probably the first public library in the United States was started in Charleston, S. C., in 1740.

POTNAM FADELESS DYES color Silk, Wool and Cotton at one boiling.

Louis Joliet furnished a name to Joliet, Illinois.

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Of the many remedies before the public there is, perhaps, none that has given such uniform satisfaction as Ely's Cream Balm, the renowned specific for Catarrh and kindred diseases. For over a quarter of a century it has stood the good test, growing in popularity as the years roll by, until the fame of the good work it has performed has made it a household word the country over. A soothing, efficacious and entirely harmless balm, it is easy to apply and brings relief and comfort to the thousands who are sufferers from catarrh in this climate during the fall, winter and spring seasons. A more reliable nor honorable firm than the proprietors, Ely Brothers, whose name the celebrated remedy bears, cannot be found in any business or profession, so that in recommending this preparation to sufferers it can truthfully be said that it is not only meritorious as to the ingredients of which it is composed, but that it is backed up by honor and integrity as well.

### As Others See Us.

Pat—Did yer iver notis how thin Oytallans are after wavin' their hands an' shakin' ave their heads whin they're talkin'?

Mike—Faith an' Ol hove. That do be th' only way the jabberin' furniners can make sich other understand. Phwat they're talkin' about, I gorry, I dunno. —Exchange.

### Missed the Fun.

"And do they never quarrel?" asked the girl in white.  
"Never," replied the girl in blue.  
"Then, what's the use of being engaged?"—Chicago Evening Post.

### They Knew.

Professor in Physics—Tell me what you know about the decomposition of forces?  
Student—It's all rot.—Yale Record.

Piso's Cure for Consumption always gives immediate relief in all throat troubles.—F. E. Bierman, Lelpic, Ohio, Aug. 31, 1901.

No less than 18 per cent of the factory employees in New South Wales are said to be engaged in the timber industry.

### Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Is taken internally. Price 75 cents.

About 1,000 diamond workers in Amsterdam are out of work.

Mrs. Winslow's Sore Throat Remedy for Children soothes the throat, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, cures a bottle.

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**The Armies of Russia.**  
Russia has three different armies. In Europe her men are five years in the active army, thirteen in the reserve, and five years in the second reserve. In Asia they are seven years in active service and six in the reserve. In Caucasasia they are only three in the active army and fifteen in the reserve.

**Missed Their Opportunity.**  
The three Pennsylvania cows that ate some dynamite that they found in a field didn't explode, but simply died from its poisonous effects. Evidently they didn't realize the full possibilities of their opportunity for spectacular effect.

**Look out for Fever.**  
Biliousness and liver disorders at this season may be prevented by cleansing the system with DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills do not gripe. They move the bowels gently, but copiously, and by reason of the tonic properties give tone and strength to the gland. W. T. Hill.

**Intelligence in Plants.**  
Something almost as good as intelligence is exhibited by plants. If, during a dry season, a bucket of water be placed near a growing pumpkin, in the course of a few days the vegetable will turn from its course and get at least one of its leaves in the water.

**Rules of Business.**  
"What is your rule of business—your maxim?" we ask of the Wall street baron. "Very simple," he answered. "I pay for something that I can't get, with money that I haven't got, and then sell what I never had for more than it ever cost."

**Out of Death's Jaws.**  
"When death seemed very near from a severe stomach and liver trouble, that I had suffered with for years," writes P. Muse, Durham, N. C., Dr. King's New Life Pills saved my life and gave perfect health. Best pills on earth and only 25c at W. T. Hill's drug store.

**Fish Was Too Greedy.**  
A Kentucky young woman was dangling her hand in the water of a small stream recently when a three-pound bass, attracted by the sparkling stone on her finger, grabbed finger and diamond. The woman landed the fish without difficulty.

**\$8.50 To Cleveland and Return \$8.50.**  
On September 26 and 27, via Nickel Plate Road. Return limit of October 28 may be obtained by depositing tickets in Cleveland. Three trains daily, with vestibule sleeping cars. American Club Meals ranging in price from 35c to \$1.00 in dining cars. Also meals a la carte. City Ticket Office, Chicago; 111 Adams St. For detailed information address John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 113 Adams St. 1w4

**Why They Are Paid Little.**  
A Los Angeles paper says the reason men in semi-official positions there are paid less in the east is that thousands of half-invalids gone to California for their health, are able to do work which the climate of the east made impossible.

**Piece of Gutenberg's Printing.**  
A fragment of a calendar, the earliest piece of Gutenberg's printing that can be proved, has been discovered at Wiesbaden. The astronomical calculations show that it was intended for the first four months of the year 1448.

**America's Fiercest Beauties.**  
Look with horror on skin eruptions, blotches, sores and pimples. They don't have them, nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Eczema or salt rheum vanishes before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains. Infallible for piles. 25c at W. T. Hill's drug store.

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"My hair was falling out very fast and I was greatly alarmed. I then tried Ayer's Hair Vigor and my hair stopped falling at once."—Mrs. G. A. McVay, Alexandria, O.

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If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

**What Father of History Did.**  
Herodotus was observed one day cleaning the sights of a gun. "What is the matter?" inquired a friend. "The Oracle has just told me the story of George and the cherry tree," grimly responded the great man, "and I'm looking for the fellow who called me the 'father of all his country.'" Whereat he kicked his pet dog and rushed forth with blood in his eye.

**\$19.00 Boston and Return 19.00**  
via Nickel Plate Road, Oct. 7th to 11th inclusive, good returning until Nov. 12th by depositing tickets at Boston and paying fee of 50c. Three trains daily, carrying through vestibule sleeping cars. Individual Club Meals, ranging in price from 35c to \$1.00, served in dining cars on Nickel Plate Road; also meals a la carte. City Ticket office 111 Adams St., Chicago. Full information can be secured from John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 113 Adams St., Chicago. 2w5

**Will Not Be Interviewed.**  
Gen. Kitchener recently declined to be interviewed by a soldier who has since his return from South Africa turned journalist. "Always pleased to see and do anything for anyone who has served under me, but you know I never—" Then he smiled and shook his head.

**Why Two Political Parties.**  
There are always two political parties; not so much because there are two sides to every public question as because there are two sides to every office, viz., the inside and the outside.—Life.

### Only A Very Few Published.

It is not possible for the proprietors to publish more than a very few of the numerous letters received in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and telling of its remarkable cures. They come from people in every walk in life and from every state in the Union. The following from Mr. T. W. Greathouse of Prattburg, Ga., speaks for itself: I would have been dead now but for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It cured me of chronic diarrhoea after seven years of suffering. I can never say to much in praise of that remedy. For sale by all druggists.

**Pointer for May Yohe.**  
Capt. Bradley Putnam Strong, now happily reunited to his affinity, says that he is going to choose a place of residence where reporters are unknown. If his affinity has learned anything by experience she will see to it that it is a place that is likewise destitute of pawnshops.

**Japan Is Far Seeing.**  
By selling her old worn-out rifles to China, and using the money to buy new long-range guns for her own soldiers, Japan can feel pretty sure of whipping the Celestial army should it ever line up in front of her own men.

**Forty Years of Torture.**  
To be relieved from a torturing disease after 40 years' torture might well cause the gratitude of anyone. That is what DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve did for C. H. H. Geneva, O. He says: "DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve cured me of piles after I had suffered 40 years." Cures cuts, burns, wounds, skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. For sale by W. T. Hill.

**One Thing Better in Corea.**  
Russia Buys Persian Land.  
Extensive purchasers of land on Bahrain Island, in the Persian gulf, are reported to have been made by the Russian consul at Bushire.

**Try Ordway Plasters.**  
For rheumatism, pain in the back or side, pneumonia, kidney and heart disease, liver complaint and all kindred diseases. These plasters are formulated for different ailments. Also corn plasters; a sure cure, six for 10 cents. Foot plasters, for cold feet, 20 cents. Agents and canvassers wanted. For particulars address

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One of the latest patents is for a hen's nest wherein the egg slides into a secret storage compartment after being laid, and wherein the hen, when she turns around to view her product, will discover nothing but the same old china egg fastened to the bottom of the nest. Surely the egg crop is precarious enough now without encouraging nervous prostration among the hens.

### Still Another Use for Texas Oil.

W. F. Walker has conducted a series of exhaustive experiments with Beaumont oil on ants. He says three or four applications of the oil to the ant beds effectually kills them. Other Nueces county farmers are using this method to exterminate the pests.—Galveston Daily News.

### Sage With Senator Hanna.

Russell Sage now stands shoulder to shoulder with Senator Hanna as a friend of the laboring man. "I feel that the better you treat the employee the better results a corporation will obtain." And Uncle Russell is certainly looking for "results."

### Natural Anxiety.

Mothers regard approaching winter with uneasiness, children take cold so easily. No disease costs more little lives than croup. It's attack is so sudden that the sufferer is often beyond human aid before the doctor arrives. Such cases yield readily to One Minute Cough Cure. Liquidifies the mucus, allays inflammation, removes danger. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Cures coughs, colds, grip, bronchitis, all throat and lung trouble. F. S. McMahon, Hampton, Ga.: "A bad cold rendered me voiceless just before an oratorical contest. I intended to withdraw but took One Minute Cough Cure. It restored my voice in time to win the medal." W. T. Hill.

### Lengthy Courtship.

The longest courtship on record was that of Robert Taylor, postmaster at Scarva, Ireland. He courted his lady-love for fifty years and married her in 1872, when his age was 108. He died in his 134th year.

### Good Move in Switzerland.

With a view of facilitating the delivery of mails, the Swedish postal authorities suggest that all the school children in the country should be instructed in the correct method of addressing letters.

### One Fare For Round Trip

or \$8.50 to Cleveland, O., and return, via Nickel Plate Road, September 26 and 27, with extended return limit of Oct. 28 by depositing tickets in Cleveland. First class equipment and service. Three daily trains. Chicago, Passenger Station, Harrison St. and 5th Ave. Write John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 113 Adams St., Chicago, for particulars. 1w4

### A Cycle of Accidents.

There is no end to the dangers of cycling. At an athletic meeting a cyclist is described as colliding with an official. The force of the blow set a light to a box of matches in the official's pocket, set off a pistol in another pocket, and stopped a watch in a third. The cycle of mishaps stopped here—tired out. The official happily escaped without a puncture.

### Cures Blood Poison, Cancer, Ulcers.

If you have offensive pimples, or eruptions, ulcers on any part of the body, aching bones or joints, falling hair, mucous patches, swollen glands, skin itches and burns, sore lips or gums, eating, festering sores, sharp gnawing pains, then you suffer from serious blood poison or the beginning of deadly cancer. You may be permanently cured by taking Botanic Blood Balm (B. B.) made especially to cure the worst blood and skin diseases. Heals every sore or ulcer, even deadly cancer, stops all aches and pains and reduces all swellings. Botanic Blood Balm cures all malignant blood troubles such as eczema, scabs and scales, pimples, running sores, carbuncles, scrofula. Druggists, \$1. To prove it cures, sample of Blood Balm sent free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice sent in sealed letter. No 3—48yl

### An Appropriate Name.

In Bristol, England, a child has been baptized Corona, as a fitting climax to the coincidences connected with its birth. The child was born in Queen's Road, its father's name is Albert Rex, and its mother's maiden name was England.

### Emigration From England.

Emigration from England to the United States continues to show a startling increase over the figures of previous years. We cannot see much in talking about the American invasion, seeing that the Britishers are running away from their own island at the rate of nearly 20,000 a month.

### Do Good-It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that "Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: My good friend cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there'll be no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. "I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold by all druggists.

### To Cleanse Decanters.

To cleanse decanters and bottles that have become discolored fill three-quarters full with cold water and add egg shells crushed into small pieces and shake thoroughly. If this method does not restore the crystal to its pristine clearness try a small quantity of spirits of salt diluted with three times its weight of water.

### To Write Military History.

Capt. John R. M. Taylor, Fourteenth Infantry, now attached to the bureau of insular affairs of the war department, has been detailed to write the military history of the United States for the last six years, including an account of the Cuban insurrection in 1896.

### One Fare For the Round Trip

to Boston and return, via Nickel Plate Road, October 7th to 11th, account of meeting of Brotherhood of St. Andrews. By depositing tickets at Boston and paying fee of 50c, extended return limit of November 12th may be obtained. Through vestibule sleeping cars and first class service in every respect. Cheap rates to all new England points. Write John Y. Calahan, 113 Adams St., Chicago, for particulars. 2w5

### The American Cotton Crop.

Forty per cent of the entire crop of cotton, or 4,156,000 bales, is retained for American consumption this year, and of this total northern mills will take 2,290,000 bales, while 1,865,000 bales will be taken by southern mills.

### Lived Up to His Name.

Jim Pigg of Kansas is said to have been arrested for drinking two quarts of whiskey in an insufficient time, Kansas being a Prohibition state. It seems that Mr. Pigg ought to have his name changed to the adult form.

### His Life In Peril.

"I just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Walford, Tex., biliousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost to worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work. They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at W. T. Hill's drug store.

### A Chinese Banquet.

The thirty-seven courses of Minister Wu's dinner to Prince Chen included tea as a cocktail, birds' nest soup, sharks' fins, bleached lychee nuts and other delicacies. And the Chinese palate was duly tickled.

### Wanted.

We would like to ask through the columns of your paper, if there is any person who has used Green's August Flower for the cure of indigestion, dyspepsia and liver troubles that has not been cured—and we also mean their results, such as sour stomach, fermentation of food, habitual constipation, nervous dyspepsia, headaches, despondent feelings, sleeplessness—in fact, any trouble connected with the stomach or liver? This medicine has been sold for many years in all civilized countries, and we wish to correspond with you and send you one of our books free of cost. If you never tried August Flower, try a 25 cent bottle first. We have never known of its failing. If so something more serious is the matter with you. The 25 cent size has just been introduced this year. Regular size 75 cents. At W. T. Hill's. 1

### Praises American Barbers.

J. H. Munnik, former state mining engineer under the Transvaal government, who has been in this country, said before he sailed for home: "I have been treated most cordially by Americans and I hope that our Boer generals will come over here for a visit, even if only to be shaved by one of your barbers. I never knew the luxury of a shave until I came to this country."

**Li Hung Chang as a Pawnbroker.**  
The late Li Hung Chang was the only royal personage who ever dabbled in pawnshops. He was struck by the excellent trade driven by the European type of "uncle," and founded similar institutions throughout the length and breadth of the celestial empire, which were conducted at an enormous profit to himself.

**Portrait for Confederate Museum.**  
Judge John H. Reagan, the surviving member of Jefferson Davis' Confederate cabinet, recently sat for a portrait to be painted and placed in the Confederate museum of history at Richmond, Va.

### The Worst Form.

Multitudes are singing the praises of Kodol, the new discovery, which is making so many sick people well and weak people strong by digesting what they eat, by cleansing and sweetening the stomach and by transforming their food into the kind of pure, rich, red blood that makes you feel good all over. Mrs. Cranfill, of Troy, I.T., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia which grew into the worst form. Finally I was induced to use Kodol, and after using four bottles I am entirely cured. I heartily recommend Kodol to all sufferers from indigestion and dyspepsia. Take a dose after meals. It digests what you eat. For sale by W. T. Hill.